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In Memoriam

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E. Hayward Bliss

Lena Cavanaugh

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Compugraphic's new facility under construction on Ballardva
Wilmington's first four-story building

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TOWN OF WILMINGTON

MASSACHUSETTS

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

To the Citizens of Wilmington:

The Town of Wilmington has completed a year of many changes. During 1979 Wilmington witnessed the expansion of local industry, the increased participation and support of recreational and leisure time services, and the fiscal constraints of the Tax Cap. It was a year of citizen participation in the areas of vandalism, youth activities and the future of recreational/athletic fields.

We want to take this opportunity to thank all our citizens who participated in community youth and adult activities. Without your volunteer services the people in our community would be without sports programs, and other similar activities. Also without your participation on Town boards and commissions, our government could not function. Without your voice and vote at Town Meeting, the wheels of one of the oldest traditions in the United States, open town meeting, would come to a halt.

In 1979 there were various events which require special recognition. The following are some of the highlights which we would like to acknowledge.

The Recreation Commission met with continued support in their youth and adult programs. The traditional sports leagues, such as basketball, baseball, softball and tennis, all grew in the number of people participating.

The summer concert program was greatly expended and provided an enjoyable evening of free entertainment at the gazebo.

The Rotary Club donated a Universal Exercise Machine to the Town. Several Recreation sponsored programs were established to make use of this weight training facility. Many thanks to the Wilmington Rotary Club.

The Athletic-Recreation Committee was formed to find ways and means to improve the overall condition of the Town's athletic and recreation fields. These playing fields are in poor shape from overuse and vandalism. They are in need of renovation and repair to insure their continued existence in the Town's athletic and recreation program.

The Vandalism Committee presented their final report to the Board in October. The Committee pointed out that vandalism and wanton destruction can be controlled. The key element is mutual cooperation between the citizens, police, town government and School department. Crime Watch, a national crime prevention program, will be introduced into Wilmington as a result of this report.

There was a changing of the old guard in two Town departments this year:

Chief Paul Lynch, who has served the Town well, retired after thirty-one years of service as Chief of Police, and Bobby Stewart was appointed as the new Chief.

Water and Sewer Superintendent, Kenneth Motschman, another long-time faithful employee, retired after thirty-three years of service to the Town, and Paul Duggan was appointed as his replacement.

On a negative note, the Town did not escape in its water system the threat of TCE (Trichloroethylene) which has spread across the State. The Chestnut Street

pumping station was closed during the year because potentially dangerous levels of TCE were found in the well.

At a Special Town Meeting in September, an additional $600,000 was approved to construct and equip a water treatment plant off Butters Row. It will be designed to help remove TCE, as well as other pollutants, from the water supply.

To contrast the old with the new, the following two events in the business community are worthy of special notice:

Weinberg's Department Store, a long-time Wilmington landmark, was closed, sold and torn down to make way for a branch office of the Reading Savings Bank.

Compugraphic continued to make its mark in the business world by breaking ground on a four-story multi-million dollar engineering facility on Ballardvale and Route 125. This will be Wilmington's tallest office building.

The 1979 property tax rate was reduced by $2.00, from $79.00 to $77.00 per $1,000 valuation. This was a direct result of a painful budget analysis and the Town's desire to live as much as possible within the State's 4% Tax Cap on municipal spending.

In an effort to consolidate Town offices and services, the Town Hall Annex was moved from the old library to the Whitefield School. The Engineering, Health, Building, Planning and Recreation Departments are all located there.

Lastly, the 250th Anniversary Committee worked through the year to insure that 1980 will be properly and festively commemorated.

We, the Board of Selectmen, want to thank all of you for your active participation in community affairs during 1979. We are working as your representatives to make our Town a better place to live and work. It is through your continual support and confidence in us that we can achieve this goal together.

Respectfully submitted,

Rocco V. DePasquale, Chairman
James F. Banda
Robert J. Cain
Aldo A. Caira
A. John Imbimbo

TOWN OF WILMINGTON
MASSACHUSETTS 01887

OFFICE OF THE
TOWN MANAGER

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Wilmington:

I am amazed to find in this age of heavy inflation that local government and industrial and commercial enterprises can function at all with less income and also the added burden of energy related cost all at the same time. A candidate for a federal level position recently stated that the solution to the sharp and continuing rise in the cost of living can be solved quite simply. All that is needed is to have the federal, state and local government spend less money. What is causing these governmental units to spend more money? If you suggest that all governmental units freeze wages, will that stop inflation? It would solve a part of the problem as long as all public and private enterprises were also ordered to freeze wages to include the businesses which produce food, housing, clothing, transportation, medical care, entertainment and related services.

The cost of inflation each year affects every home, every business, every municipal government, the County of Middlesex, the government of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the federal government of the United States. The upward changes in the annual budget reflect the times in which we live and the current and projected rapid deterioration of the value of the dollar throughout the country. Most man-made products and natural resources appear to be gaining in value but it is a complete mirage. The cost of living index for 1979 showed an approximate 13% increase in the overall cost of food, money, heat, gas, clothing, services, and all other consumer goods. When and if you sell an item of value which you own, say a house, it appears that you have made a large profit, but the profit disappears when you attempt to replace that home on today's market or when you attempt to find any other housing arrangement.

The message that I wish to convey is that municipal costs are not standing still in today's economy and to break even, the rate of increase in spending would have to equal at least a 13% increase in the annual budget expenses for the new year instead of the 4% cap in spending. For much less than a break-even level, then we must eliminate some municipal services. If this is the wish and desire of the residents, then the next decision is which services shall be eliminated or curtailed. Shall it be recreation, fire protection, street lights, snow removal and street maintenance, rubbish collection and disposal, police protection, the library, or health and property insurance? The decision will need to be a joint decision of everyone who has a stake in this community.

The other main cause of today's inflation rate, is the cost of energy. The increase in the cost of fossil fuel products such as asphalt for street maintenance, gasoline, oil and fuel oil are beyond reasonable prediction to include the availability of purchasing these products in the future. The cost of gasoline in the current fiscal year was not adjusted upwards and the mild winter which we are experiencing may make it possible to complete the fiscal cycle in the black. The new budget year reflects a big increase in cost for gasoline.

In Wilmington the Public Buildings Department has the responsibility for the maintenance of school buildings and grounds as well as all other municipal buildings. The budget each year reflects a considerable increase in the cost of heating oil for these buildings and the bulk of the capital outlay items which I have recommended in 1980 are designed to conserve the use of heating oil in the future. You should keep in mind that these costs and increases in cost are part of your school cost and any percentage increases concerning schools should include these costs as found in the

Public Buildings Department Budget to include the cost for all labor and material to maintain the schools and administrative buildings. We hope that it will be possible in 1980 to continue the practice of building use consolidation so that the less energy efficient buildings can be eliminated.

We found it necessary during the 1979-80 budget period to make some overall adjustments in the bottom line figures of the total valuation of real and personal property which resulted in a year of no growth in the amount of assessable property. The situation will improve to a small degree in the new budget year, but the problem of equitable property assessments will not disappear for some time in the future. The Town will find it necessary to complete a property reappraisal program in conformance with the Sudbury case and the order of the Department of Revenue, Commonwealth of Massachusetts. I believe that the Town will be forced to comply with a revaluation project by court order in the new fiscal year and further delay will only result in additional costs to the residents of Wilmington. The revaluation project when completed will then be followed by the new classification of various types of property also as promulgated by the General Court.

The Massachusetts Bureau of Accounts conducted, at our request, a post-audit of all town accounts for the year ending June 30, 1979 and issued a "Management Report" for the Town of Wilmington. The recommendations of the Bureau have been reviewed by my office, the Town Accountant, Robert Peters, and Tax Collector, Marion Murphy, and weaknesses in various internal control and accounting procedures have been corrected to more closely adhere to the generally accepted accounting principles as outlined by the Auditors. The Auditors pointed out that they found many favorable aspects of the Town's operations and accounting system and dedicated officials and employees with whom they worked.

We made an application during 1979 for a federal grant to start a housing rehabilitation program to improve the living conditions for some of our elderly and moderate income families. The Town was awarded $245,000.00 to undertake this project and Buzz Stapcynski, Assistant Town Manager, will be spearheading this neighborhood revitalizing program during 1980.

I wish to acknowledge that the progress which has been made over the past year is due to the leadership provided by the Board of Selectmen, and the services have been of high quality due to the professional attitude of our department heads and hard work by our employees.

The Town of Wilmington will benefit most of all by your presence at the Town Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Sterling C. Morris
Town Manager

New Forest Fire Truck

DIRECTORY OF OFFICIALS - January 1, 1979 - 1980

		Term Expires
Board of Selectmen	Rocco V. DePasquale, Chairman	1981
	Aldo A. Caira	1981
	James F. Banda	1980
	Robert J. Cain	1982
	A. John Imbimbo	1980
Town Manager	Sterling C. Morris	
Moderator	John M. Callan	Annually
School Committee	Lester E. White, Chairman	1980
	Philip A. Fenton, Sr., Vice Chairman	1981
	Linda T. McMenimen, Secretary	1982
	John Brooks	1980
	James A. Demos	1982
	James D. Tighe	1981
Superintendent of Schools	Dr. Walter H. Pierce	
Finance Committee	Walter J. Kaminski, Chairman	1981
	Richard D. Duggan, Vice Chairman	1981
	Mary J. Deislinger, Secretary	1981
	Anita H. Backman	1982
	Richard V. Barry	1982
	George W. Boylen, Jr.	1982
	Michael P. Dolan	1980
	Thomas E. Casey	1980
	William E. Hanlon	1980

BOARDS, COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS - JANUARY 1, 1979 - 1980

APPEALS, BOARD OF

Bruce MacDonald, Chairman	1980
William A. Caperci	1982
George C. Robertie	1981
Neil L. Buckley, Associate	1980
Joseph P. McMenimen, Associate	1980
Carroll L. Robbins, Associate	1980

ASSESSORS, BOARD OF

Anthony E. Krzeminski, Principal	
Charles P. Lawrenson	
Roy P. McClanahan	

BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE

Paula O'Brien, Chairman	
Evelyn S. Burke	
Joseph J. Cuoco	
Cynthia L. White	
Hugo W. Wiberg, Jr.	

CARTER LECTURE FUND COMMITTEE

Madelon C. Slater, Chairman	1982
Frankline E. Allen	1982
Julia A. Fielding	1980
Mildred E. Neilson	1980
Kenneth H. Wilson	1981

CEMETERY COMMISSION

Mildred M. Cavanaugh, Chairman	1982
Willis C. Lyford	1981
William H. Russell	1980

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Chester A. Bruce, Chairman	1982
Jacqueline D. Allaman	1981
Thomas J. McGinley	1980
Joseph A. Guzzo	1980
Paul A. Rose	1982
Joan M. Sadowski	1980
Donald H. Ugolini	1981

COUNCIL ON AGING

Irving H. Storms, Chairman	1982
Lorraine Brozyna, Vice Chairman	1982
Josephine M. Kelley, Secretary	1981
Gladys A. Babine	1981
Wilson J. Belbin	1982
J. Arthur Bernard	1980
Rose M. Gatta	1980
Sheldon F. Maga	1980
Margaret L. McNeil	1980
James M. Shine	1980

HEALTH, BOARD OF

Thomas W. Morris, Chairman	1982
James J. Durkee	1980
Joseph A. Paglia	1981

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Frank D. Curley, Chairman	1980
Foster B. Balser	1981

HISTORICAL COMMISSION (continued)

Herbert L. Fielding	1980
Ruth M. Harding	1981
Evelyn T. Kaminski	1981
William G. Meyers	1982
Melinda P. Murphy	1982

HOUSING AUTHORITY

Barbara H. Larson, Chairman	1981
Lorraine C. Brozyna	1982
George W. Hooper	1983
Kevin J. McMillan	1980
Melvin F. Keough (Rep. of State Housing Board)	1983

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

E. Hayward Bliss, Chairman	1982
Shirley F. Callan, Vice Chairman & Sec.	1981
Bruce F. Conant	1982
John S. McNaughton	1980
Evelyn M. Norton	1980
Esther L. Russell	1981

PERSONNEL ADVISORY BOARD

Richard V. Barry	
John F. Burke	
Richard K. Hayden	

PLANNING BOARD

John W. DeRoy, Chairman	1980
Arnold C. Blake	1983
William G. Hooper, Jr., Clerk	1984
Louis A. Maglio	1982
Kenneth J. Miller	1981

RECREATION COMMISSION

Paul J. Bova, Chairman	1980
John P. Cushing, Vice Chairman	1982
Lorraine M. Hanna	1981
Larry G. Noel	1980
Francis Sferrazza	1982

REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

Raymond A. McNamara, Chairman	1981
Harold J. Allen, Jr.	1983
Carl A. Backman	1984
Wilson J. Belbin	1982
Currie N. Johnson (State Member)	1984

REGIONAL VOCATIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Lawrence P. Flaherty	1980
Frank H. McLean	1982

REGISTRARS, BOARD OF

Mary G. Condrey, Chairman	1980
Robert L. Cavanaugh	1982
Olin M. London	1981
Priscilla R. W. Lynch, Clerk	

TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE

Paul Duggan	1980
Robert P. Palmer	1982
Frank H. Tuttle	1981

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Arnold C. Blake, Chairman	1980
Rachel M. Burns	1981
Elizabeth R. Fosgate	1982

WATER AND SEWER COMMISSIONERS

George R. Allan, Chairman	1981
Arthur R. Smith, Jr.	1982

WILMINGTON ELECTIONS OFFICERS

Precinct 1

Mary D'Eon, Warden	Annually
Helen F. Sencabaugh, Dep. Warden	"
Joan M. Lanzillo, Clerk	"
Sandra S. Volpe, Dep. Clerk	"
Clarice J.Ross, Inspector	"
Alta Lyons, Dep. Inspector	"
Edith Ann Graham, Inspector	"
Jane A. Hill, Dep. Inspector	"

Precinct 2

Phyllis M. O'Leary, Warden	"
Charlotte Stewart, Dep. Warden	"
Evelyn S. Burke, Clerk	"
Marjorie MacDonald, Dep. Clerk	"
Miriam H. Colucci, Inspector	"
Lorita B. Bower, Dep. Inspector	"
Eleanor Doyle, Inspector	"
Henrietta I. Bonnell, Dep. Insp.	"

Precinct 3

Stanley Webber, Warden	"
Basil L. Weatherbee, Dep. Warden	"
Loretta R. Caira, Clerk	"
Alice G. Marcy, Dep. Clerk	"
Mary E. Woods, Inspector	"
Norinne M. Markey, Dep. Inspector	"
Florence A. Balkus, Inspector	"
Barbara J. Buck, Dep. Inspector	"

Precinct 4

William H. Russell, Warden	Annually
Sarah H. Cosman, Dep. Warden	"
Elizabeth Cavanaugh, Clerk	"
Mary O'Rourke, Dep. Clerk	"
Doris V. Russell, Inspector	"
Marjorie C. Kennedy, Dep. Inspector	"
Mary J. Johnson, Inspector	"
Edith Cuoco, Dep. Inspector	"

Precinct 5

Jean LaFavour, Warden	"
Dora Ardolino, Dep. Warden	"
Margaret Blonigan, Clerk	"
Janice L. Rudnicki, Dep. Clerk	"
Elizabeth Blaisdell, Inspector	"
Mary T. Ward, Dep. Inspector	"
Ruth S. Coursey, Inspector	"
Annabel Antinarelli, Dep. Inspector	"

Precinct 6

Margaret L. Perry, Warden	"
Nancy J. Tarricone, Dep. Warden	"
Barbara M. Cook, Clerk	"
Nancy C. DeWilde, Dep. Clerk	"
Diane J. Ryan, Inspector	"
Patricia D. McNaughton, Dep. Inspector	"
Evelyn W. Conlin, Dep. Inspector	"
Elizabeth Andrews, Inspector	"

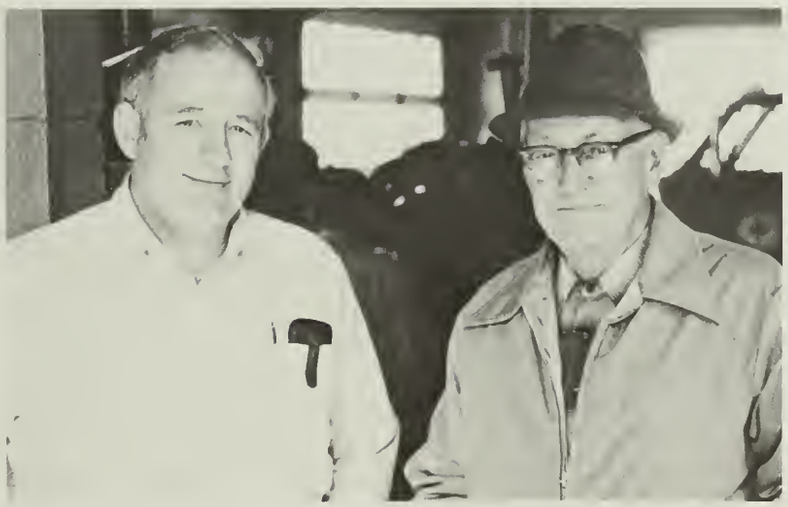
250 ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE

Joan Maga, Chairman
Harriet J. Cain
Robert J. Cain
John C. Clark
Paula O'Brien
Charles P. Kelley
David B. Hill
Fructuoso T. Carrasco
Robert Z. Brown
Robert S. Boyce
Adele C. Passmore
George W. Hooper
Joan D. Searfoss

Police Chief Paul Lynch Feted on Retirement

OFFICERS AND DEPARTMENT HEADS - JANUARY 1, 1979 - 1980

Accountant	Robert H. Peters
Animal Inspector	Joseph V. Balestrieri
Assistant Town Manager	Reginald Stapczynski
Cemetery Superintendent	Francis E. Downs
Civil Defense Director	Silverius J. Blonigen
Constable	James Edward Burke
Constable	Arthur V. Lynch
Dog Officer	Joseph V. Balestrieri
Engineer	Robert L. Higgins
Fire Chief	Arthur J. Boudreau
Gas Inspector	William R. Harrison
Highway Superintendent	Robert P. Palmer
Inspector of Buildings	Charles P. Lawrenson
Ipswich River Watershed Commission	Herbert D. Nickerson
Librarian	Philip W. Meriam
Medical Agent (Board of Health)	
Metropolitan Area Planning Council	Stella Courtney
Middlesex Canal Commission	Stanley Webber
Middlesex County Advisory Board	Michael A. Caira
Milk Inspector	Ernest F. Romano
Nurse, Public Health	Anne E. Butters, R.N.
Plumbing Inspector	William R. Harrison
Public Building Superintendent	Roy P. McClanahan
Police Chief	Bobby N. Stewart
Recreation Director	Ronald Swasey
Sealer of Weights and Measures	Martin P. Farrell
Town Clerk	Priscilla R. W. Lynch
Town Clerk (Assistant)	Kathleen M. Scanlon
Town Collector	Marion C. Murphy
Town Collector (Assistant)	Catherine P. Lindmark
Town Counsel	Alan Altman
Town Sanitarian	Ernest F. Romano
Town Treasurer	Rachel M. Burns
Town Treasurer (Assistant)	Elizabeth R. Fosgate
Tree and Moth Superintendent	Thomas O. Sullivan
Veterans' Agent	Paul A. Farrell
Veterans' Grave Officer	Paul A. Farrell
Water Superintendent	Paul C. Duggan
Wire Inspector	James J. Russo



Retiring Water Superintendent, Ken Motschman and Predecessor, Ed Sargent

Board of Assessors

RECAPITULATION - 1980 FISCAL YEAR

Total Appropriations (taxation)	$ 14,574,223.00	
Total Appropriations (Available Funds)	1,233,290.00	$15,807,513.00
Total Deficits	387,367.00	
School Lunch Program	36,583.00	
Elderly Lunch Program	11,356.00	
Free Public Libraries	6,621.00	
Special Education Grant Chapter 766	21,167.00	
Underestimate	3,583.00	
Amount Necessary to Satisfy Court Judgment	15,250.00	
County Retirement Assessment	328,443.00	
County Tax	306,412.46	
Metropolitan Districts Area Charge	104,244.27	
Mass. Bay Transportation Authority	199,538.84	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Bills	2,418.75	
Air Pollution Control Districts	2,426.97	
Metropolitan Area Planning Council	2,648.40	
Ipswich River Water Shed	43.71	
Underestimate	1,109.12	
State Recreation Areas	79,290.93	
Audit of Municipal Accounts	4,211.28	
Overlay of Current Year	416,201.53	1,928,916.26
		$17,736,429.26

Less Estimated Receipts and Available Funds:

1980 Fiscal Year Estimated Receipts from Local Aid		
Agency Funds	$ 3,069,941.00	
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	1,149,847.47	
Licenses	7,200.00	
Fines	14,446.75	
Special Assessments	40,388.52	
General Government	15,097.00	
Protection of Persons and Property	18,665.55	
Health and Sanitation	4,660.56	
Libraries	1,185.59	
Cemeteries	9,475.00	
Farm Animal and Machinery	315.35	
Interest	198,599.46	
Ambulance Services	4,771.08	
Sewer Revenue	77,842.03	
Workmen's Comp. and Ins. Reimb.	5,510.12	
Dog License Reimb.	2,608.00	
Miscellaneous Receipts	1,513.93	
Overestimates	51,997.29	
Voted from Available Funds	1,233,290.00	5,907,354.70
		$11,829,074.56

Personal Property	$ 5,171,590.00 @ 77.00 per M	398,212.43
Real Estate	148,452,755.00 @ 77.00 per M	11,430,862.13
		$11,829,074.56

Recapitulation - 1980 Fiscal Year (continued)

Items not entering into the determination of the Tax Rate:

1. Betterments and Special Assessments added to taxes:

a.	Street Betterments and Interest	$ 9,889.08
b.	Water Betterments and Interest	12,699.15
c.	Sewer Betterments and Interest	10,886.71

2. Liens added to taxes:

a.	Water Liens	35,593.86
b.	Sewer Liens	1,533.08
		70,601.88
	Total of all other commitments	$ 11,899,676.44

Veterans' Agent

Veterans' Services is governed by the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 115, as amended, with strict compliance to this Chapter, the rules and policies of which govern the disbursement of aid. Benefits are for the needy Veteran and his immediate family who have been subject to unforeseen needs. Final approval of benefits comes from the Commissioner of Veterans' Services, Boston, Massachusetts.

The balance for the first six months of 1979 from previous appropriation was $23,417.95. A balance of $15,932.33 remaining June 30, 1979. Total available funds beginning July 1, 1979 was $20,000.00. Total expended for aid to Veterans and their families for the entire year 1979 was $15,983.58.

Total reimbursement for 1979 from settled assignments and/or accident cases authorized by the Commissioner's Office was $1,589.00. Because 50% of the amount authorized by the Commissioner's Office is shared by the Town, the Town's share on assignment cases was $794.50. The total amount of $1,589.00 has been turned over to the Town Treasurer, and the Commonwealth has been notified so adjustments of any monies can be made before State reimbursement to the Town.

This department deals continuously with new and changing benefits and/or laws pertaining to Social Security, V.A. Disabilities, Pension, Compensations, and G.I. Education or on the job training; plus aiding applicants for S.S.I. Unemployment due to strikes, shutdowns and lack of work, always has an impact on expenditures. Case load varies from time to time.

The appropriation for 1979 and six months of 1980 was $20,000.00, as voted at the Annual Town Meeting, a balance of $11,502.04 forwarded for the first six months of 1980.

Town Collector

COMMITTMENTS - 1979	
1981 Real Estate	$ 1,078.00
1980 Real Estate	11,432,299.47
1980 App. Water Betterments	8,051.55
Committed Interest	4,647.60
1980 Street Betterments	6,500.39
Committed Interest	3,388.69
1980 Water Lien	35,593.86
1980 App. Sewer Betterments	6,725.47
Committed Interest	4,161.24
1980 Sewer Liens	1,533.08
1980 Personal Property	400,108.59
1980 Farm	144.60
1979 Motor Vehicle Excise	1,005,691.38
1978 Motor Vehicle Excise	38,535.39
1977 Motor Vehicle Excise	1,393.11
App. Water Betterment - Paid in Full	231.28
Committed Interest	2.49
App. Street Betterment - Paid in Full	1,248.34
Committed Interest	82.19
Unapp. Water Betterment	11,390.00
1979 Deferred Real Estate	1,607.65
Interest and Fees	70.17
1978 Deferred Real Estate	1,630.00
Interest and Fees	201.23
Deferred Water Betterment	809.84
Committed Interest	58.37
Ambulance	9,540.00
TOTAL COMMITTMENTS	12,976,723.98

COLLECTIONS - 1979	1980	1979	1978	OTHER YEARS
Real Estate	$5,403,834.19	$5,556,152.31	$ 100,446.18	$ 23,529.35
App. Water Betterments	5,873.30	1,350.80	278.81	149.61
Committed Interest	3,084.91	921.82	104.25	71.13
App. Street Betterments	5,554.23	468.12		280.68
Committed Interest	2,772.28	273.79		186.71
Water Liens	32,178.76	2,276.28	302.74	466.18
App. Sewer Betterments	1,354.09			
Committed Interest	812.44			
Sewer Liens	4,228.97			
Personal Property	198,181.82	191,812.60	458.06	198.60
Farm	88.35			
Motor Vehicle Excise		785,643.74	179,303.15	41,366.25
App. Water Betterment - Paid in Full		231.28		
Committed Interest		2.49		
App. Street Betterment - Paid in Full		1,164.64		
Committed Interest		15.24		
Estimated Sewer - Paid in Advance		352.50		
Deferred Real Estate		1,607.65	1,630.00	
Deferred Water Betterment		809.84		
Committed Interest		58.37		
Interest and Costs		48,372.99		
Ambulance		4,427.25		
Municipal Lien Cert. and Better. Cert.		6,089.00		
Advertising Charges		323.50		
Registry Fees		10.30		
Water Department Collections		927,621.45		
TOTAL COLLECTIONS				

Board of Registrars

In accordance with Section 1, Chapter 3 of the Town By-Laws, meetings of the Board of Registrars were held on the second Monday of each month for the registration of voters and to conduct business. Under Chapter 626 of the Acts of 1958, these meetings are open to the public and press, and it is so posted in the Town Hall.

The Board held registration periods as are required by the law for the Annual Town Meeting and Election and for the Special Town Meeting held in September.

The Town Clerk attended Massachusetts Town Clerks Conferences in order to keep up with the constantly changing election laws.

Last year I reported that the County was implementing a new Jury procedure. I would like to report that it has been most successful, the county reports that it is saving us approximately $50,000.00 a month and they anticipate that other counties will soon follow.

The number of registered voters dropped considerably from 1978 due to the fact that people neglected to return their census forms and were dropped from the voter list, or new residents in town neglected to notify the Town Clerk of their presence in town. In order to keep a true census of the town we need the cooperation of all the townspeople. Please, in the future, try to return any correspondence concerning the census as soon as possible and pass the word on to friends and neighbors to do the same.

1975 State Census (considered "OFFICIAL")	17,656
1979 Town Census Estimated	17,800
Registered Voters as of September, 1979	
Democrats.....	3,859
Republicans.....	860
Independents.....	3,847
TOTAL	8,566

Sewer Construction Continues

Town Clerk

Vital Statistics - Chapter 46, General Laws as amended:

Births - final figure for 1978	194
Births - actually recorded for 1979	190
Marriage Intentions recorded for 1979	171
Marriages recorded for 1979	215
Deaths recorded for 1979	110

Chapter 46, Section 15:

The Town Clerk will furnish to parents, householders, physicians, and registered hospital medical officers applying therefor, blanks for the return of births as required by law.

Chapter 207, Sections 19, 20, and 40:

The laws pertaining to filing Marriage Intentions has been changed by Chapter 718, Acts of 1979. May I suggest that anyone intending to file call the Town Clerk's office for particulars.

Chapter 114, Section 45:

Forty-six (46) burial permits have been issued by the Town Clerk as Special Agent for the Board of Health in 1979. Fourteen out-of-state deaths were reported and filed in this office. Twenty-seven (27) Wilmington Veterans were buried in Wildwood Cemetery.

TOWN RECORDS

Permits and Certificates of Registration for the Storage of Inflammables:

These licenses must be registered by the owner or occupant of the land, or by the holder of the license in the Town Clerk's office on or before April 30 of each year. Notification will be sent on or about the 15th of March. If not registered, by law the license may be revolked by the licensing authority after a public hearin

Inflammables	78
Uniform Commercial Code recordings	228
Uniform Commercial Code terminations	30
Federal Tax Lein recordings	11
Dog Licenses issued	1502
Duplicate Dog Tags issued	15
Bazaars & Raffles	5
Fish & Game licenses	854
Pole locations	8
Medical registrations	0
Business Certificates recorded	41
Business withdrawal	1

Other Services:

Keep minutes of Annual and Special Town Meetings up-to-date. (Certify same upon request).
Town Clerk has complete charge of elections. Records election results.
Send State elections to State Secretary forthwith.
Provide the County of Middlesex with up-to-date list of all persons over the age of 17 years for Jury Pool.
Certify an undetermined number of births, marriages, and deaths.

Other Services (continued)

Certify an undetermined number of births (abstract form) used for school entrance, driver's licenses, out-of-state travel and job applications.
Supply proof of residence by letter or card - used for college entrance.
Provide for sale miscellaneous books and maps.
Receive writs against the Town and forward copies of same to the Town Counsel.
Occasionally appear in court for the Town, when summoned - producing all papers and maps required.
Complete notes of the Town as received from the Town Treasurer - after approval by the Board of Selectmen. Certify same.
Record Board of Appeals applications and Decisions and certify same as provided in Chapter 41A, section 11 and 15 of the Massachusetts General Laws.
Keep a file of decisions by the Town Counsel.
Record minutes and decisions of the Planning Board.
Keep a file of Annual Reports.
Keep a file of all Zoning and Town By-Law changes as approved by the Attorney General.
Swear Town officers to the faithful performance of their duties and keep a record of same.
Accept business registrations and keep a file for public use.
Prepare the Town Ballot for the voting machines and order the printing of same.
Supervise payrolls for the Town Meeting and Election workers.
Supervise the distribution and filing of nomination papers and the report of campaign and political finance expenditures.

The Town Clerks of Middlesex County were notified and thanked by Joseph Romanow, Jury Commissioner, for the Middlesex County Court system that the transition from the old way to One Day or One Trial has worked out most successfully and that the remainder of the State is planning on following suit.

By virtue of her office, the Town Clerk is clerk to the Board of Registrars. In this capacity, she has met with the Board of Registrars on regular meeting nights as well as special meetings, kept the minutes of the meetings up to date, supervised the annual census by mail, kept the voting list up-to-date and registered voters during the regular office hours of the Town Clerk. Also met with the Board for special evening sessions to register voters and to certify nomination papers.

Dog Officer

Dogs Licensed	1,502
Dogs Confined	428
Complaints Covered	3,260
Court Complaints	346
Court Fines	$3,460
Dogs Disposed of	487
Dogs Killed by Cars	74
Residents Notified for Licenses	1,070

Town Treasurer

GENERAL FUND

Cash on Hand 7/1/78	$ 2,322,919.72
Receipts Fiscal 1979	35,347,325.44
Disbursements Fiscal 1979	36,066,133.67
Cash on Hand 6/30/79	$ 1,604,111.49

REVENUE SHARING (Federal)

Cash on Hand 7/1/78	$ 57,476.58
Receipts Fiscal 1979 (including earnings)	549,798.15
Disbursements Fiscal 1979	580,776.00
Cash on Hand 6/30/79	$ 26,498.73

SPECIAL PROJECT - WATER MAINS FUNDED BY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION (Federal)

Cash on Hand 7/1/78	$ 0.00
Receipts Fiscal 1979	478,190.35
Disbursements Fiscal 1979	478,190.35
Cash on Hand 6/30/79	0.00

During Calendar 1979, it was necessary to borrow in anticipation of tax revenue. While we have tax anticipation notes outstanding, it is illegal to invest general fund monies.

INVESTMENTS

During calendar 1979, the program of investing idle funds in Certificates of Deposit, U.S. Treasury Note repurchase agreements, and daily interest accounts was continued with the following results:

Designation of Funds	1979 Earnings
Revenue Sharing	$ 11,965.34
AntiRecession	2,400.81
General Funds	
Investments	179,098.93
Daily Interest Accounts	76,455.33
	$ 269,920.41

Town Engineer

Evaluation of Work Load

An examination of the work load for the Engineering Department reveals that we spent our time this year as follows: 20% Highway Department, Construction Projects; 25% Water and Sewer Board, Construction Projects; 15% Planning Board, Subdivisions; 20% Town-Wide and Future Projects; 10% Town Manager and Selectmen; 10% all others.

In-House Procedures

The updating of Assessors' maps continues to be a problem which requires a large part of our time. Current updated Assessors' maps are a valuable tool for the town's citizens and other town departments, boards and commissions.

Cataloguing of the department's material, which was started some time ago, was continued with summer help personnel.

Projects for the Year

Streets prepared for acceptance which were later favorably acted upon by the Town Meeting were Dexter Street, King Street Extension and Reading Avenue to be constructed under the betterment act and Freeport Drive, Heather Drive, Lucaya Circle, Sparhawk Drive, Gandalf Way, Agostino Drive, Clorinda Road, North Washington Avenue and Everett Avenue.

This year's most significant improvement has been the physical transfer of the entire department from its former location in the Highway Building on Andover Street to the new Town Hall Annex on Middlesex Avenue, the first half of the move being accomplished in the latter three months of the year. When the move is complete, the new quarters will provide workable space and better conditions for the department personnel as well as consolidating service oriented departments.

Conclusion

The department continues to adjust time and resource priorities to better serve Town-wide interests.

Improving Dangerous Curve on Middlesex Avenue

Highway Department

All the regular highway maintenance work was carried out during the year, such as cleaning catch basins, sweeping streets, patching streets, replacing and painting guardrails, making and installing street signs, scraping back roads with the grader, replacing broken curbing, etc.

Drainage:

Drainage systems were installed, repaired or extended on the following streets: Salem Street, Chestnut Street, Marjorie Road, Westdale Avenue, Crescent Street, Shawsheen Avenue, Woburn Street near West Street, Lowell Street, Grove Avenue, Bancroft Street, Cottage Street, Burnap Street, Marie Drive, Veranda Avenue, McDonald Road, North Street, Lawrence Street, Lawrence Court, Andover Street and Woburn Street near High Street.

Chapter 90 Maintenance & Hot Top Program:

Sections of the following streets were upgraded with 1 1/2 inch of bituminous concrete finish: Ballardvale Street, West Street, Industrial Way, Woburn - Eames Street.

Chapter 90 Construction:

West Street at Lowell Street - constructed a "right turn only" lane.

Sidewalk Construction:

Forest Street sidewalk was completed.

Snow and Ice Removal:

During the winter of 1979, the Highway Department recorded 36.1 inches of snow. The cost of snow removal this year was $168,441.70.

Roadside Pickup:

With the use of C.E.T.A. personnel (federally funded), our roadsides were cleaned of rubbish on a continuous basis from May through August.

Brooks and Streams:

As in past years, we used C.E.T.A. personnel for our streams and brooks maintenance.

Equipment:

The mechanics, foreman and I have checked over the equipment and sincerely conclude that we must replace 2 dump trucks, 2 pickup trucks, a sweeper, sander body and front end loader.

In concluding my report, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Police Department for keeping us informed during the winter months of the road conditions between the hours of 3:00 p.m. and 6:30 a.m., weekdays, and Saturday, Sunday and holidays; the Water, Tree and Cemetery Departments for their cooperation during snow storms and various other departments for the help extended this department during 1979. To the Town Manager, Assistant Town Manager and the Board of Selectmen for their support throughout the year. Last, but not least, to the men of the Highway Department who made 1979 a very productive year, my sincere thanks and appreciation.

Tree Department

Trimming, cutting and removing trees, being routine work, was done by the Tree Department. By request of Town residents, 70 hornets nests were destroyed. Assistance was given to the School Maintenance & Public Buildings Department in replacing lights and flag pole ropes. Decorating was done throughout the Town at Christmas upon request of the Beautification Committee. The equipment of the Tree Department was used to plow snow for the Highway Department. Roadside stumps were removed with the stump cutter. There will be no tree planting program for 1980.

Dutch Elm Disease:

Elm tree samples were taken and sent to the University of Massachusetts for testing. Seventy-nine (79) dutch elm trees were taken down.

Insect Pest Control:

Gypsy moth, elm leaf beetles, clinch bugs, Eastern tent caterpillars, ticks, fall web worms, pine saw flies and Japanese beetles were kept under control by spraying. We had a great deal of gypsy moth in 1979 and expect more in 1980. If you think you have a problem with gypsy moth, please contact the Tree Department. Now is the time to destroy the gypsy moth egg masses.

Mosquito Control Program:

The spraying for the control of mosquitoes is done in the evening between the hours of 8:00 p.m. and midnight. All trapped water holes and some catch basins were treated with larvaecide. We are expanding this program in 1980.

I would like to thank the Town Manager and the Board of Selectmen for their support, the town departments for their cooperation, and the men of the Tree Department for their efforts during the year 1979.

Sealer of Weights & Measures

The following is a list of all measuring and weighing devices, scales, meters, pumps, and weights that were tested, sealed, not sealed, and condemmed during the year 1979.

	Sealed	Not Sealed	Adjusted	Condemmed
Balances, Scales, Weights	196	23	86	21
Liquid Measuring Meters	184	10	56	26
Capacity Measures	36	14	20	28
Other Measuring Devices	52	19	36	20
Prepackaged Foods Reweighed	5,700			

Inspector of Buildings

	1977		1978		1979	
	No.	Valuation	No.	Valuation	No.	Valuation
Dwelling (single family)	51	$ 1,435,000	28	$ 914,000	42	$ 1,608,000
Residential Garages	10	36,600	9	64,000	11	74,000
Additions & Alterations	110	418,750	105	381,400	133	600,454
		$ 1,890,350		$ 1,359,400		$ 2,282,454
Industrial Buildings	6	$ 5,528,000	5	$ 625,000	6	$ 9,847,000
Commercial Buildings	4	219,000	1	65,000	0	
Additions & Alterations (non-res)	17	549,000	16	927,600	19	402,000
Swimming Pools	43	158,050	42	115,100	34	122,450
Signs	11	11,485	16	17,000	10	3,550
Utility Buildings	0		2	88,000	1	18,000
Office Buildings	0		0		0	
Recreational Buildings	1	1,700	0		0	
Sheds & Barns	9	21,019	8	33,500	5	6,300
Medical Building	1	2,009,000	0		0	
Temporary Buildings	1	1,200	1	3,000	0	
Woodburning Stoves	0		2	500	163	84,175
		$ 8,498,454		$ 1,874,700		$10,483,475
		$10,388,804		$ 3,234,100		$12,765,929
Renewals	5		6		6	
Demolitions	7	$ 36,400	14	$ 90,900	7	$ 26,150
Fire Damage & Repair	1	14,000	0		4	35,500
Foundations	9	19,500	5	18,500	10	27,500
	286	$ 69,900	260	$ 109,400	451	$ 89,150

REPORT OF FEES RECEIVED AND TURNED OVER TO TREASURER:

Building Permits	286	$ 29,036.50	261	$ 7,596.80	445	$ 37,790.00
Wiring Permits	343	4,131.75	299	4,009.75	328	4,210.75
Gas Permits	125	1,137.50	90	822.00	118	1,026.00
Plumbing Permits	85	894.00	80	755.50	109	1,060.00
	839	$ 35,199.75	730	$ 13,184.05	1000	$ 44,086.75

Old Whitefield School Converted to Town Hall Annex

Board of Appeals

Applicant	Reason for Appeal	Decision
Case #1-79 Robert F. Brown	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, (Schedule of Requirements) to allow an existing dwelling to remain in required reserve rear yard.	Granted
Case #2-79 John A. Lovetiere	To acquire a special permit from Section III-B-5 to allow for additional sign area.	Granted
Case #3-79 Hyman Jacobs	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct a single family dwelling on lot having insufficient front & depth.	Granted
Case #4-79 John & Elvira DeRoy	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow existing garage to remain within side & rear yard.	Granted
Case #5-79 Paul St.Hilaire	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct a single family dwelling on lot having insufficient front & depth.	Granted
Case #6-79 Michael & Janet Sullivan	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to erect a garage within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #7-79 Stephen Olson	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to subdivide a lot into two lots, with insufficient front & depth, for property located at 55 Chestnut Street.	Granted
Case #8-79 David Doucette	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to subdivide a lot into two lots with insufficient depth & front.	Granted
Case #9-79 Arthur Smith	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct a single family dwelling on lot having insufficient depth & area.	Denied
Case #10-79 James Tighe	To acquire permission from Section III-6-A.1, to erect single family dwelling in flood plan district and Section III-6-B.2, for the construction of driveways as a means of access to property located on Federal Street.	Withdrawn
Case #11-79 Charles Mulik	To acquire a special permit with Section III-B.5, to increase sign area for property located on 316 Main Street.	Granted
Case #12-79 Richard Stuart	To acquire a special permit from Section V-I,D, to alter existing dwelling in manner less detrimental for property located at 111R Grove Avenue.	Denied
Case #13-79 Margaret Norton Niantic CN	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow exist dwelling to remain within a required reserve front & side yard, for property located at 294 Shawsheen Avenue.	Granted

Applicant	Reason for Appeal	Decision
Case #14-79 Sadowski Realty Trust	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow two existing structures to remain within required reserve yard areas, for property located at 13 Cochrane Road.	Granted
Case #15-79 Alfred Fraumeni, Jr.	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to obtain 4 building permits for lots with insufficient frontage and depth, for property located at 157 Lake Street.	Denied
Case #16-79 Isabelle Cowens	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct a single family dwelling on lot having insufficient front & depth & area, for property located on First Avenue and Dorchester Street.	Denied
Case #17-79 Arthur Durante	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct a garage within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #18-79 Douglas & Brenda Andersen	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct a swimming pool within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #19-79 Antonetta Micalizzi	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow a lot to be subdivided into two non-conforming lots with insufficient area, to further allow the conversion of two-car garage into a dwelling unit.	Denied
Case #20-79 Francis & Maureen Hughes	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow a lot to be subdivided into three non-conforming lots for the purpose of obtaining two building permits.	Granted
Case #21-79 John Cutter	To obtain a variance to erect a sign (enlarge) (6'x8') within a required reserve front yard for property located at 611 Main Street.	Granted
Case #22-79 Albert D'Ovidio	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct a single family dwelling within a required front yard property located on Safford Road.	Denied
Case #23-79 John C. Boudreau, Jr.	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to erect a garage within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #24-79 James Frost	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to subdivide a lot into two non-conforming lots having insufficient area.	Denied
Case #25-79 to #29-79 Compugraphic Corporation	To obtain a variance from Section V, height, area, and yard regulations, Table V-1. Schedule of Requirements, wherein the maximum building height in an Industrial District is three stories or forty feet for property located on Ballardvale Street Connection.	Granted
Case #26-79 Compugraphic Corporation	To obtain a variance from Section II, Paragraph 10, wherein an area of two hundred square feet and a width of ten feet are required for parking of one motor vehicle, for property located on Ballardvale Street Connection.	Granted
Case #27-79 Compugraphic Corporation	To obtain a variance from Section IV, Special Regulations Governing Use Districts, Para. IV-3. Off-Street Parking, Subpara. A, wherein a parking area must be within 300 feet of the principal building, located on Ballardvale Street Connection.	Granted

Applicant	Reason for Appeal	Decision
Case #28-79 Compugraphic Corp.	To obtain a variance from Section IV, Special Regulations Governing Use Districts, Para. IV-3, Off-Street Parking, Subpara. 7, wherein one parking space is required for each 100 square feet of floor area or fraction thereof for office occupancy, located on Ballardvale Street Connection.	Granted
Case #29-79 Compugraphic Corp.	To obtain a variance from Section IV, Special Regulations Governing Use Districts, Para. IV-3, Off-Street Parking, Subpara. A and Subpara, 8, wherein one parking space is required for each two hundred square feet of floor space or a fraction thereof for storage and manufacturing occupancy, located on Ballardvale Street Connection.	Granted
Case #30-79 John & Elvira DeRoy	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow an existing dwelling to remain within required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #31-79 Gerard Otis	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow the construction of a single family dwelling on a lot having insufficient depth, for property located on Birch Street.	Granted
Case #32-79 Dennis Rooney	To acquire a special permit to allow the temporary use of two trailers for not longer than one year for property located on 904 Main Street.	Granted
Case #33-79 John J. McCarthy	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to erect a garage within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #34-79 Arnold Schultz	To acquire a special permit in accordance with Section VI-1D, (non-conforming use) to allow alteration and enlargement of structure located at 409 Main Street.	Granted
Case #35-79 Edmund Corcoran	To acquire a special permit in accordance with Section VI-ID, (non-conforming use) to allow alteration and enlargement of structure located at 334 Main Street.	Granted
Case #36-79 Dennis & Sandra Volpe	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to erect an addition within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #37-79 Robert Annaian	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow an existing dwelling to remain within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #38-79 James G. Keramas	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to sub-divide a parcel of land into two parcels, one having insufficient depth and frontage, the other having insufficient depth for property located on Woodside Avenue.	Denied
Case #39-79 John and Mary Heine	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to subdivide lot into two lots, one having all minimum requirements, the other having insufficient depth, for the purpose of obtaining a building permit.	Withdrawn
Case #40-79 Bioassay Systems Corp.	To obtain a special permit authorizing biological & environmental research & development laboratory for property on Ballardvale Street.	Withdrawn

Applicant	Reason for Appeal	Decision
Case #41-79 Manzo Truck Serv. & Ref., Inc.	To acquire a special permit from Section III-4-B,5 authorizing the storage repair and cleaning of trucks and trailers.	Granted
Case #42-79 John A. Hurst	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct a swimming pool within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #43-79 Charles Ballou	To acquire a special permit from Section 111,1-B,1, the conversion of a single family dwelling plus the use as an In-Law apartment.	Granted
Case #44-79 Arthur Smith	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct a single family dwelling on a lot having insufficient depth and area, property located on Wild Avenue.	Granted
Case #45-79 Richard Stuart	To obtain a special permit from Section VI-1.D, to alter existing dwelling in a manner less detrimental or injurious to persons/or to adjacent property.	Granted
Case #46-79 B. Tracy Nixon	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to authorize building permit for the construction of additional room on an existing concrete foundation.	Granted
Case #47-79 Joseph DeGiacomo, Agent	To obtain a special permit from Section V-1-2, for the temporary use of a trailer as an office.	Denied
Case #48-79 Dante J. & Judith Gandolfo	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow the installation of a swimming pool within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #49-79 Peter DeGennaro	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow the erection of a sign within a required reserve front yard for property located on 312 Main Street.	Granted
Case #50-79 Harold Parker, Agent Bay Bank Middlesex	To acquire a variance from Section III-3-B-5, to erect additional signs on property located at 390 Main Street.	Granted
Case #51-79 Samuel E. Freeman	To acquire a variance from Section IV-3A-7 (off-street parking) to allow for the construction of an addition for fewer parking spaces for property located at 160 Lowell Street.	Denied
Case #52-79 Vincent Puleo	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct a dwelling on a lot having insufficient depth, frontage and area, for property located on Wabash Road.	Granted
Case #53-79 Nickolas Carrozza	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct an addition within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #54-79 William C. Husen	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow construction of an addition within a required reserve front yard.	Granted
Case #55-79 Arthur W. Worringham	To obtain a special permit from Section II-1, B1, to alter a single family dwelling for use also as two family dwelling (mother-in-law) apartment.	Denied
Case #56-79 Joseph P. Casey	To acquire a variance from Section V-5, lot depth, measured at right angles.	Granted

Applicant	Reason for Appeal	Decision
Case #57-79 Michael J. Simmons	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct a garage within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #58-79 Stephen J. Malfa and Ann C. Malfa	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct a swimming pool within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #59-79 Anthony Tomasi	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow for the construction of a carport within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #60-79 John L. R. Dionne	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct a garage within a required reserve side yard.	Denied
Case #61-79 John Warford	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct a porch within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #62-79 Dominic Corella	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to subdivide a lot into two non-conforming lots each having insufficient frontage and depth.	Denied
Case #63-79 David P. Galante	To appeal the determination of Inspector of Buildings denying right to perform auto body repair.	Granted
Case #64-79 Morris R. Anderson	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to subdivide a lot into two lots of sufficient area, with a 30 ft. right of way to rear lot.	Denied
Case #65-79 Joseph DeGiacomo, Agent	To obtain a special permit in compliance with Section V-1-2, for the temporary use of a trailer as an office.	Granted
Case #66-79 Compugraphic Corporation	To acquire a variance pursuant to Sections VIII-4B.3 and Section IV-3, (off-street parking) subpara. A, and Section V-4.C, to allow a parking area beyond 300 ft. of principal building and to park cars within a setback area for property located at 5 Cornell Place.	Granted
Case #67-79 Rubin Frankel	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow an existing dwelling to remain within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #68-79 Warren K. MacDonald	To obtain a special permit from Section III-1.B1, to allow the alteration of a single family dwelling into a two family dwelling.	Granted
Case #69-79 Ralph Newhouse	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to subdivide a lot into two non-conforming lots of insufficient frontage and depth, both having more than the required area.	Granted
Case #70-79 William & Barbara Godfrey	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow an existing dwelling to remain on a lot having insufficient area.	Granted
Case #71-79 Charles W. Doucette	To obtain a special permit from Section III-5.B.1a, to allow open lot for parking or sale of used autos not operated in connection with a salesroom for new autos.	Granted
Case #72-79 John L. R. Dionne	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to erect a garage within a required reserve yard area.	Granted

Applicant	Reason for Appeal	Decisio
Case #73-79 Fred & Maryann Cain	To acquire a variance from Section IV-1, and Section V-1, to allow a subdivision of a parcel of land into two non-conforming lots, both having insufficient frontage and depth.	Granted
Case #74-79 David D. Romanski	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to erect an addition to an existing dwelling within a reserve rear yard.	Granted
Case #75-79 Charles Mulik	To obtain a special permit from Section III-1.B1, to alter a single family dwelling into a two family dwelling (mother-in-law apartment).	Denied
Case #76-79 Richard Medeiros	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct a single family dwelling on a lot having insufficient frontage, depth and area.	Withdra
Case #77-79 Gerda Kintigos	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to obtain a building permit to build on a lot having insufficient frontage, depth and area, for property located on Dunton Road.	Granted
Case #78-79 Chester A. Bruce	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow the subdivision of lot into one non-conforming and one conforming lot, the non-conforming lot having insufficient frontage and depth.	Granted
Case #79-79 Richard D. Poloian	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to subdivide land into two lots, one non-conforming having insufficient depth, for property located at 59 Washington Ave.	Granted
Case #80-79 Adam Kozlowski	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct a dwelling on a lot having insufficient depth and area for property located on Onley Avenue.	Granted
Case #81-79 Ralph & Lorraine Allen	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow an existing dwelling to remain within a required reserve yard.	Granted
Case #82-79 Edmund & Debra Gennetti	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to subdivide a parcel of land into one non-conforming lot having insufficient frontage and depth.	Denied
Case #83-79 James V. Campbell	To acquire a special permit from Section V-1.d, to enlarge a non-conforming use by extending building approximately 65 square feet, located at 139 Main St.	Granted
Case #84-79 Michael & Patricia McGonagle	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow an existing dwelling to remain on a lot having insufficient side and front yard area.	Granted
Case #85-79 Richard and Diana Fay	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow the continued use of two existing auxiliary buildings within a reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #86-79 Douglas & Eileen Chisholm	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to permit the erection of a radio antenna in excess of 38 feet in height.	Denied

Applicant	Reason for Appeal	Decision
Case #87-79 I. Fred Dicenso	To acquire a variance from Section IV-3.A.8, (off-street parking) to allow the erection of an addition having insufficient parking requirements for property at Industrial Way.	Denied
Case #88-79 Clara V. Eichel	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow a parcel of land be subdivided into three lots, two lots having insufficient frontage.	Denied
Case #89-79 Prudential Insurance Co.	To acquire a variance from Section VIII-4B.2 & 3, to allow for less than the required parking spaces for property at 100 Fordham Road, and for a permit to allow for a portion of parking within the set-back area required by Section V-1, and Section V-4.c & d.	Granted
Case #90-79 N. American Accept. Corp. c/o F.F. Cain	To acquire a special permit from Section VI-2 (temporary uses) authorizing the use of a trailer as an office.	Denied
Case #91-79 Marjorie E. Wilson	To acquire a variance from Section V-1 to subdivide a parcel of land into two lots, one fully complying, the other lot having insufficient frontage.	Denied
Case #92-79 Frank L. Stevens	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to erect an addition within a required reserve front yard for property located at 841 Woburn Street.	Denied
Case #93-79 Joseph Oliver	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to erect a garage within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #94-79 Herbert W. Cutter	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to subdivide a parcel of land into two lots, one lot fully complying, and the other lot having insufficient frontage.	Granted
Case #95-79 Samuel & Esther Freeman	To acquire a variance from Section IV-3A-7, (off-street parking) to construct an addition with fewer than the required parking spaces for property located at 160 Lowell Street.	Granted
Case #96-79 Martin Kuchler	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to erect an addition within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #97-79 Roger M. Ulrickson	To acquire a variance from Section V-1 and Section V-3, to allow an existing dwelling to remain within a required reserve side yard and with insufficient frontage for property located at 100 Morse Avenue.	Granted
Case #98-79 Charlotte Guthrie	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow an existing dwelling to remain within a required side yard.	Granted
Case #99-79 M. Howland, Trustee	To acquire a variance from Section IV-3, (off-street parking) to allow for fewer than the required parking spaces for property located on Fordham Road.	Granted
Case #100-79 Joseph Parrella	To obtain a special permit authorizing the extension of a non-conforming building, (too close to the lot line).	Granted

Applicant	Reason for Appeal	Decision
Case #101-79 Pleasant Realty Trust	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to allow the subdivision of a parcel of land into two lots, one having insufficient area, the other having insufficient depth and area, located on Albany St.	Denied
Case #102-79 Avco Systems Div.	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, authorizing the temporary erection of a chimney in excess of permitted height limitation.	Granted
Case #103-79 Richard & Barbara Lanzillo	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, authorizing erection of a two car garage within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #104-79 Frederick Cooke	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct a garage within a required reserve side yard.	Granted
Case #105-79 I. Fred Dicenso	To acquire a dimensional variance from the physical requirements of parking spaces and total number required, property located on Woburn Street.	Granted
Case #106-79 Leonard J. Richard	To acquire a variance from Section III-1-B1, authorizing the conversion of a single family dwelling into a two-family dwelling.	Granted
Case #107-79 Stilianos Katsikis	To obtain special permits as may be required, to relocate and construct a building on the same lot, after structural damage by fire, new building not to exceed 50% of existing building, all in accordance with Sections VI-1D-a,b and Section V-1.	Granted
Case #108-79 Guy Gargano, Jr.	To obtain a special permit authorizing the extension of a non-conforming building, (too close to the lot line).	Granted
Case #109-79 Eugene R. Connor	To acquire a variance from Section V-1, to construct an addition within a required reserve front yard, for property located on Ballardvale Street.	Granted
Case #110-79 Michael J. Angieri	To acquire a variance to subdivide a parcel of land into lots for the purpose of building single family dwelling.	Granted
Case #111-79 James A. Ficociello	To obtain a special permit authorizing the erection of additional signs for property located at 500 Main Street.	Granted
Official Map Cases		
Case #S-1-79 George & Eleanor Donovan	To construct a single family dwelling on land shown on Assessors' Map 11, Lot 22, but now shown on the Official Map (G.L. ch. 41, S.81E) on a way known as Dorchester Street.	Denied
Case #S-2-79 Richard C. Gray	To construct a single family dwelling on land shown on Assessors' Map 40, Lot 159, but now shown on the Official Map (G.L.ch.41.S81E) on a way known as Commonwealth Avenue.	Granted
Case #S-3-79 Albert J. D'Ovidio	To construct a single family dwelling on land shown on Assessors' Map 17, Lot 5, but now shown on the Official Map (G.L.ch.41.S.81E) on a way known as Safford Street.	Granted

Applicant	Reason for Appeal	Decision
Case #S-4-79 Vincent F. D'Amato	To construct a single family dwelling on land shown on Assessors' Map 33, Lot 34A, but not shown on the Official Map (G.L.ch.41.S.81E) on a way known as Houghton Road.	Granted
Case #S-5-79 David LeClair	To construct a single family dwelling on land shown on Assessors' Map 7, Lot 26, but not shown on the Official Map (G.L.ch.41.S.81E) on a way known as Randolph Road.	Granted
Case #S-6-79 Gerard E. Otis	To construct a single family dwelling on land shown on Assessors' Map 49, Lots 21,24,25 & 26, but not shown on the Official Map (G.L.ch.41.S.81E) on a way known as Birch Street.	Granted
Case #S-7-79 Kevin Warford	To construct a single family dwelling on land shown on Assessors' Map 32, Lot 94, but not shown on the Official Map (G.L.ch.41.S.81E) on a way known as Auburn Avenue.	Granted
Case #S-8-79 James G. Keramas	To construct a single family dwelling on land shown on Assessors' Map 48, Lots 20 & 21, but not shown on the Official Map (G.L.ch.41.S.81E) on a way known as Woodside Avenue.	Granted
Case #S-9-79 William R. Harrison, Jr.	To construct a single family dwelling on land shown on Assessors' Map 41, Lot 14, but not shown on the Official Map (G.L.ch.41.S.81E) on a way known as Hanover Street.	Withdrawn
Case #S-10-79 Vincent Puleo	To construct a single family dwelling on land shown on Assessors' Map 8, Lot 28, but not shown on the Official Map (G.L.ch.41.S.81E) on a way known as Wabash Road.	Granted
Case #S-11-79 Isabelle Cowens	To construct a single family dwelling on land shown on Assessors' Map 11, Lots 17 & 18, but not shown on the Official Map (G.L.ch.41.S.81E) on a way known as First Avenue and Dorchester Street.	Granted
Case #S-12-79 John T. Spencer	To construct a single family dwelling on land shown on Assessors' Map 55, Lot (Laite Road) but not shown on the Official Map (G.L.ch.41.S.81E) on a way known as Laite Road.	Granted
Case #S-13-79 Adam Kozlowski	To construct a single family dwelling on land shown on Assessors' Map 32, Lots 71, 72, & 73, but not shown on the Official Map (G.L.ch.41.S.81E) on a way known as Olney Road.	Granted
Case #S-14-79 Pleasant Realty Trust	To construct two single family dwellings on land shown on Assessors' Map 11, Lot 38, but not shown on the Official Map (G.L.ch.41.S.81E) on a way known as Albany Street.	Denied

Police Department

ARRESTS:	
Assault & Battery	60
Breaking & Entering	30
Disorderly	137
Fraud (Larceny by Check)	41
Forgery	4
Larceny	57
Larcey of Motor Vehicle	7
Malicious Damage	30
Narcotics	49
Non-Support & Other Family Offenses	8
Rape	2
Sex Offenses	7
Receiving Stolen Property	10
Liquor Violations	94
All Other Offenses	182
	718

Juveniles Released Without Court Action:	90

MOTOR VEHICLE COURT ACTION:	
Driver's License Violations	34
Endangering	24
Leaving Scene of Accident	7
Operating Under the Influence	78
Unregistered-Uninsured	30
Speed	89
Using Without Authority	2
Other Offenses	158
	422

MOTOR VEHICLE CITATIONS ISSUED-1979:	
Warnings	69
Complaints	366
Arrests	82
	517

PROTECTIVE CUSTODY BY AGES:	
17 and Under	96
18	36
19	37
20	31
21	23
22	16
23	13
24	17
25-29	25
30 and Over	50
	344

CRIMES REPORTED:	
Homicide	1
SEX CRIMES:	
Rape	3
Attempted Rape	1
Indecent Exposure	13
Indecent Assault	4
Child Molesting	6
Other	16
	43

ROBBERIES:	
Firearm	3
Knife	2
Strong Arm	4
Other Dangerous Weapon	2
	11

ASSAULTS:	
Gun	2
Knife	7
Other Dangerous Weapon	9
Hands, Feet, etc.	35
Simple Assaults	44
	97

BREAKING & ENTERING:	
Forced Entry	209
Entry, No Force	21
Attempted Entry	71
	301

LARCENY:	
Pocketpicking	1
Pursesnatching	2
Shoplifting	3
From Motor Vehicles	145
M/V Parts & Accessories	96
Bikes Stolen	94
Larceny from Buildings	60
From Coin Machines	1
All Others	156
	558

LARCENY OF MOTOR VEHICLES:	
Stolen Motor Vehicles	126
Stolen Wilm-Recovered Wilmington	24
Stolen Wilm-Recovered Elsewhere	61
Stolen Elsewhere-Recovered Wilm.	66

MISCELLANEOUS COMPLAINTS:	
Arson & Bombing (Threats & Attempts)	14
Burglar Alarms Responded to	1140
Disturbances	1384
Domestic Problems	210
Emergencies	146
Fires Responded to	170
Juveniles	2027
Lost and Found	21
Malicious Damage	958
Missing Persons	55
Missing Persons Returned	50
Persons Still Missing	5
Phone Calls, Annoying, Obscene, etc.	37
Prowlers	119
Sudden Deaths	14
Suicides & Attempts	8
Suspicious Activities Reports	588
Miscellaneous Items	4244
Cruisers Dispatched	6925
Motor Vehicle Accidents	961
Fatalities	3

OTHER DEPARTMENT FUNCTIONS:	
Firearm Ident. Cards Issued	112
License to Carry Firearms Issued	289
Firearm Permits to Sell (Dealers)	2
Gunsmith Permits	2
Permits to Sell Ammunition	2
Liquor I.D.s-Now issued by RMV	9
	416
Reports to Insurance Companies	399
Licenses Suspended & Revoked by RMV	52
Licenses Reinstated by RMV	35
Empty Houses Check	169
Summonses Delivered (From other towns and Wilmington Summonses)	259

The preceding statistical report represents a total of all crimes, complaints and incidents reported; and to a great extent, the Law Enforcement efforts of the Wilmington Police Department during the year 1979.

Contained in these statistics are some significant changes both in enforcement efforts and in crimes committed. One of the most significant is a 66% increase in the number of non-Motor Vehicle Arrests, from 433 in 1978 to 718 in 1979. Despite these efforts, the major crimes catagories have increased by .17% and the overall crimes, complaints and incidents reported have increased by 50% over 1978.

The changes in crime and arrest rates in areas of major interest are as follows: Breaking and Entering: arrests were increased by 36% and the total incidents were reduced by 1.

Malicious Damage (Vandalism) arrests were increased by 150% and the total incidents increased by .05%.

Disturbance Complaints increased by .06%, despite major increases in disturbance related arrests; Disorderly Conduct Arrests were increased by 341%, from 31 in 1978 to 137 in 1979; Arrests for Liquor Violations were increased by 34%, from 21 in 1978 to 94 in 1979.

As a bottom line to these statistics, fines returned to the Town of Wilmington as a result of court actions increased by 176%, from $14,446.00 in 1978 to $39,917.00 during 1979.

The Department makes note of some of the personnel changes during 1979:

The retirement of Chief Paul J. Lynch in March.
The promotion of Sgt. Bobby N. Stewart to Chief of Police.
The promotion of Sgt. Bernard Nally to Lieutenant.
The promotion of Officer Robert LaRivee to Sergeant.
The promotion of Officer James Rooney to Sergeant.
The appointment of Chris Neville to Permanent Patrolman.

During the past two years the department has experienced the loss of its two superior officers with Chief Lynch's retirement in March and with Lt. Imbimbo's retirement in 1978. The loss of their leadership and many years of experience has left a void in the department which will take many years to fill. I extend my personal thanks to each of them for the help they have given me during this period of transition.

Special thanks and appreciation to the Town Manager, Assistant Town Manager, Board of Selectmen, all department heads and their workers for their every effort and cooperation during the year 1979, and especially to the members and employees of the Wilmington Police Department.

Fire Department

The manual force consists of Chief, Deputy Chief, four Lieutenants and twenty-eight Privates. There is a call force of eleven members. The department responded to a total of one thousand nine hundred and seventy-two calls (1972).

Residential Buildings	51	Out of Town Assistance	33
Commercial Buildings	16	False Alarms or Needless Calls	154
Vehicles	100	Rescue and Ambulance	722
Brush, grass and rubbish	608	Service Calls	288

Estimated value of property endangered was	27,229,650
Estimated property loss was	207,417
Permits issued for storage of oil	104
Permits issued for blasting	12
Permits issued for home fire alarms and inspections	31
Permits issued for model rockets	5
Permits issued for storage of black powder	15
Permits issued for storage propane gas	4

As required by law, inspections of all schools, public buildings, and all inflammable storage were made.

The Fire Prevention Bureau, under the direction of Deputy Chief Wandell, made all necessary inspections of all business establishments in Town. Local industries were assisted in the organization and training of fire brigades. Fire Prevention lectures were given to the school children.

The Fire Alarm Division, under the direction of Acting Lieutenant Blaisdell, made all necessary repairs to the fire alarm system and made one hundred eighty-seven changeovers for the light and telephone companies and cable T.V. Checked and serviced all fire alarm boxes. Put up one mile new RC wire. New wire was strung on Industrial Way, Progress Way and Deming Way. Put five (5) new alarm boxes in service:

Box 3164	J.B.F. Scientific	Jewel Drive
Box 3171	Raffi and Swanson	Eames Street
Box 6351	Charles River Breeding Lab., Inc.	Ballardvale Street
Box 3166	Altron	Industrial and Progress Way

Eighteen (18) members of the department took the required twenty-one hour Emergency Medical Technician course and passed the State exam.

Twenty-five (25) members took and passed the First Responders course which is required by the State for all firefighters.

This will be my "Final Report" as Chief of the Wilmington Fire Department, as I will be retiring this year after serving thirty-six years on the department, five years as a call firefighter and thirty years as Chief of the Department.

Cemetery Department

The department has been constantly clearing brush, wood and stumps and grading for expansion. One hundred and fifteen loads of fill were purchased from Deloury Construction Company. One hundred and seventy-five tons of washings were hauled from Cronin's Pit.

The two-grave area, Section K, was enlarged and marked, ready for use. In addition to work on the expansion program, routine maintenance was done throughout the year. An unused area in the old section of the cemetery was measured and marked out to be used for single graves.

Throughout the year we loamed and seeded numerous graves that had settled. Areas where the grass had died due to the weather and other factors were refurbished upon request from the owners. A large number of markers were raised to ground level.

The department was attacked a number of times this year by vandals.

The beach areas, the Common and the Town Park were all raked and the glass and debris removed. During the summer this had to be done three times a week. The Little League and Veterans' Parks were fertilized and seeded. The diamonds were filled, graded and rolled. Bleachers were set up at each area. The dug-outs were repaired and painted.

The department assisted Mr. Allgrove with the planting around the gazebo and the flag pole on the Common. Two loads of bark were used to mulch around the shrubs. The planting was sponsored by the Beautification Committee.

The conservation sign was reinstalled at the site of conservation land on Wildwood Street. The original sign erected in 1978 was taken down by vandals less than an hour after being put in place.

Cemetery employees and vehicles assisted the Highway Department with snow removal.

My sincere thanks to Town Officials and all department employees for their support and assistance during the year 1979.

Burials:

Residents died in Wilmington	17
Residents died elsewhere	41
Non-residents	56
Babies	3
Cremations	7
Transfers	2
	126

Receipts:

Interments	$ 9,207.00
Foundations for monuments	1,848.00
Setting markers	235.00
Affidavits	20.00
Deeds	53.00
Use of Tomb	10.00
Copy of Deeds	8.00
Payment of damages to cemetery	70.00
	$11,451.00

Reserve:

Sale of lots	$9,902.00

Trust Fund:

Perpetual Care	$10,270.00

Water and Sewer Department

PUMPING STATISTICS

WATER SUPPLY	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
Maximum Gallons Per Day	4,364,000	4,922,000	4,421,000	4,530,000	4,065,000
Maximum Gallons Per Week	26,641,000	31,232,000	26,521,000	29,191,000	19,732,000
Maximum Gallons Per Month	105,599,000	116,396,000	102,432,000	113,113,000	105,641,000
Average Gallons Per Day	2,647,000	2,762,000	2,840,000	2,940,000	2,954,000
Average Gallons Per Month	80,508,000	84,006,000	86,375,000	89,432,000	89,870,416
Total Gallons Per Year	966,090,000	1,008,080,000	1,036,494,000	1,073,187,000	1,078,445,000
Annual Rainfall	50.97"	34.67"	46.31"	31.33"	45.47'
CONSUMPTION STATISTICS-GALLONS					
Residential Use*	324,240,479	329,744,851	398,858,053	321,073,950	335,287,725
Percent of Total	46.8%	44.6%	51.4%	41.0%	40.0%
Industrial Use	369,269,678	409,497,779	376,981,836	460,883,880	492,740,925
Percent of Total	53.2%	55.3%	48.6%	58.9%	59.0%
Total Water Metered	693,510,157	739,242,630	775,839,889	781,957,830	828,028,650
Percent of Water Pumped**	72.0%	73.3%	74.9%	72.8%	77.0%

*Residential use includes small commercial users, that is, all water passing through 5/8" meters only.

**The difference between the water pumped and the water metered, 250,416,350 gallons in 1979, represents water used for flushing of water mains, for fires and other hydrant uses, and water lost due to breaks and leakage throughout the system.

Our annual consumption increased this year over 1978 despite the use of a water ban during the summer. The ban on the use of all outside water was necessary because the Chestnut Street well was shut down in early July due to contamination. Trichloroethylene (TCE), a common solvent, was detected by the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Quality Engineering in concentrations above the recommended limit. Without the 1 million gallons a day provided by this well, we were not capable of meeting the maximum day demand which occurs during the summer months. If we did not establish the water ban, our storage tanks would have emptied, resulting in a serious fire and health hazard. As can be seen from the above pumping statistics, the maximum day demand this year was about 0.5 million gallons less than last year. This indicates that our water users adhered to the water ban.

Fortunately, the new water treatment plant was designed to remove iron and manganese from the Chestnut Street well, as well as Town Park and Butters Row. We were able to make modifications in the treatment plant design so that TCE could also be removed.

The construction of the water treatment facility was divided into 3 construction contracts. The first two, consisting of a new well and water mains from the wells to the treatment plant, were completed during the year

Bids for construction of the plant were opened on August 23, 1979. Due to inflation and design modifications to remove TCE, the bids exceeded the available funds. It was necessary to have a special town meeting on September 24, 1979 to appropriate an additional $600,000. for the project. A ground-breaking ceremony was held on November 10, 1979. The anticipated completion date is August, 1981.

We have been working closely with our State Representative on obtaining a State grant for 50% of the construction cost. The State has set aside 75 million dollars for the construction of water treatment plants. (Chapter 406) We are confident that we will receive a grant. This will lessen the financial burden of this important facility.

WATER QUALITY

Securing and maintaining an adequate supply of good quality water is becoming a problem, not only in Wilmington, but throughout the State. With the advent of more sophisticated testing equipment, tests are being performed for trace organics, such as trichloroethylene. This new equipment is able to measure concentrations in the parts-per-billion range. It is because of this testing equipment that the contamination of many wells throughout the State has been detected during the past year.

The encroachment upon groundwater recharge areas will continue to endanger our drinking water. To protect our valuable water supplies, groundwater protection districts will have to be developed in aquifer recharge areas. These districts would restrict the type of development permitted near a water supply. The establishment of these districts could be accomplished through zoning changes. Our Board would support a well-conceived plan for aquifer recharge protection zones.

In compliance with the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act we had 358 samples taken throughout the water system in 1979.

WATER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM:

MAINS INSTALLED IN 1979

STREET	Number of Feet	Main Size	Hydrants
Mill Road	1,500	8"	3
Route #125	3,200	12"	2
Ballardvale Street	1,500	12"	3

This is a total of 6,200 feet of new water main and 8 hydrants added to the system by developers.

SEWER SYSTEM

We continue to make progress on the Silver Lake Interceptor. The total project consists of seven construction projects. Contracts 1 and 2 were completed, although we have not accepted Contract 2 because of several problems. We have hired a second engineering firm to review the work under this contract, and to advise us during negotiations with the contractor. We hope to be able to settle the problems without court action.

Bids were opened on July 16, 1979 for Contract 3, which includes the residential streets around Silver Lake. The price tag for this contract is 1.8 million dollars. Work under Contract 7, which is a sewage pumping station, is nearly 100 percent complete. We expect to open bids on two more construction contracts this year, as we continue to increase our service area.

As our network of sewers grows, the maintenance costs will increase. During the latter part of 1979 it was determined that the existing sewer near Eames Street needed to be cleaned of debris in order to maintain the capacity of the sewer pipe. To clean 2,600 feet of sewer it will cost $15,340. We feel that this is indicative of problems we can expect in the future and for this reason we will have to increase our sewer maintenance account.

Passage of Article 15 of the 1979 Annual Town Meeting allows us to have unpaid sewer charges become a tax lien on the property.

Library Trustees

The Board of Library Trustees, the library staff and the people of Wilmington suffered a great loss by the death of E. Haywood Bliss, Chairman of the Board of Library Trustees. Mr. Bliss served faithfully on the Board for many years, and even though in ill health for the past few years, did continue to serve. He will be truly missed.

The people of Wilmington continue to use the library at an ever-increasing rate as circulation figures continu to grow. There has been a 36% increase in library circulation statistics over the past 5 years which indicate that the townspeople of Wilmington are becoming more aware of the library value, be it educational, work related, recreational or cultural. Of particular interest is the dramatic increase over the past 5 years in reference services and in the children's department. This certainly reflects on the professionalism of the Library Director and his staff in which the townspeople of Wilmington can take great pride.

We are happy to report that the Security System which the voters of the town approved at Town Meeting has been a tremendous success. The book losses which the library had experienced in past years has just about been eliminated. This has been accomplished with little or no inconvenience to the library patrons.

In these times of strict fiscal austerity, the library must comply with restraints imposed by the legislature. However, the Trustees at this time assure the people of Wilmington that we will continue to work to provide the library services which you have come to expect.

Memorial Day, 1979

Librarian

E. Hayward Bliss
Library Trustee & Board Chairman
1970-1979

"Thou was their Rock, their Fortress and
their Might;
Thou, Lord, Their Captain in the well-
fought fight;
Thou, in the darkness drear, the one
true Light.
Alleluia"

From the Hymn "All Saints" by
W. Walsham How, 1864

In accordance with the statutes of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the By-laws of the Town of Wilmington, it is with pleasure, I submit my report with its accompanying statistics for the calendar year 1979.

The Library's activity has traditionally been measured by circulation statistics. Total circulation reached its highest mark in 1979. The decade of the seventies closed with total circulation approaching 140,000 in 1979. This represents a healthy increase of 6.2% over the preceeding year. In addition, reference activity has shown a dramatic increase of 47% in the past five years.

The patrons of the Wilmington Memorial Library have reflected a national trend. To quote an editorial from the Boston Sunday Globe of December 9, 1979: "The public is using its libraries more extensively and in large numbers. The American Library Association says that the percentage of Americans using public libraries at least one a year, has risen to 51 from 42 over the past four years and a study by the University of Illinois found book circulation has risen 11 percent in the same period. These figures are not apt to reflect rising literacy. Inflation is the more obvious explanation."

The dependence on local tax support in many communities has meant cut-backs, and increase vulnerability to the rising trend of cutting back municipal budgets. The Boston Globe's editorial further states, "Even when there are no cut-backs, dollar ceilings that fail to keep up with inflation lead to reductions in book purchases or hours of operation that may really be self-defeating in saving money for local citizens. Libraries remain a good buy for the tax dollar."

The Memorial Library is primarily supported by local taxation, and is currently operating with the cap imposed by the Governor and Massachusetts General Court. The economics and concerns of the seventies are being carried into the eighties. The cost of energy, inflation, and other restraints have, so far, been dealt with indirectly. The library has not yet been forced to reduce its staff, or hours of operation. Priorities have shifted in coping with public expectations, and it has become increasingly difficult to maintain basic services at the expected level.

It is indeed ironic that in a time of concern over high taxation, the public's expectations are ever increasing, and that the use of the Memorial Library is escalating. "More with less" appears to be the current bind in which the library finds itself.

The statistics continue to show the library's growth during the seventies, as dramatically illustrated in 1979. The staff of the library continued to respond to this growth with dedication, amiability, and flexibility despite the fact that no additional staff members were employed by the library on a full time basis. The staff coped with increased circulation and activity despite the vagaries of federally supported personnel programs. Throughout the seventies, and in 1979, the Memorial Libary and its staff performed to the best of its ability its classic role to serve the educational, informational, cultural and recreational needs of the

community. The library grew during the seventies, and public expectations grew in tandem. The Library's classic role will continue into the 1980s. The staff and public expectations will be challenged and tested during the 1980s. The future of the Memorial Library, as it leads and responds during the next decade, will depend on democratic choices, freely made and based on knowledge and information.

LIBRARY STATISTICS

Date of founding:		1871
Library Director:		Philip W. Meriam
Number of days open during 1979:		292
Hours open each week:		69
Total holdings as of December 31, 1979:		76,336
Books	71,232	
A/V materials	2,320	
Microform	2,049	
Newspapers	14	
Periodicals	269	
Art prints	203	
Realia	263	
Number of volumes beginning of the year:		67,576
Number of volumes purchased during the year:		4,394
Number of volumes added as gifts:		234
Number of volumes withdrawn during the year:		- 972
WM (Missing from library):	6	
WLO (Long overdue):	282	
WW (Worn/damaged):	590	
WD (Dated):	94	
Number of volumes as of December 31, 1979:		71,232
Population: 1979 Town Census		18,200
Circulation: 1979		138,380
Adult: 76,079 Children: 48,193		
Museum passes: 671 A/V: 7,364		
Periodicals: 5,433 Art prints: 640		
Circulation per capita:		7.6
Retrospective circulation totals:		
1974		102,186
1975		117,612
1976		113,343
1977		117,352
1978		129,828
Circulation control statistics:		
Number of adult reserves processed:		2,572
Number of overdue notices sent:		9,375
Number of bills sent:		1,802
Number of overdue items involved:		23,769
Number of bill items involved:		3,744
Registered library patrons:		9,259
Total reference and reader service statistics for 1979:		6,744
Retrospective reference and reader services for:		
1974		3,158
1975		3,689
1976		3,739
1977		5,522
1978		6,006
Interlibrary loans:		
ILL material requested from other libraries:		148
ILL material received from other libraries:		152
ILL material loaned to other libraries		39
Appropriations and income for 1979:		$204,153
Per capita expenditures:		$11.22
Funds transferred to Town Treasurer:		$2,088.60
Payment for lost library material:	463.35	
Payment received for service chgs:	1,288.00	
Payment for lost borrowers cards:	74.00	
Postage refund:	50.25	
Book order refund:	198.00	
Memorial gifts:	15.00	

Public Buildings Department

1979 started with the discovery of asbestos in the Glen Road School. Shortly after this discovery a fire made the school unfit for use. Students were housed temporarily at Saint Thomas' Church. By September, asbestos had been removed from the building and the Glen Road School was ready for use for the new school term. The personnel of the Public Buildings and Grounds Department are to be credited for their herculean efforts in getting this school back in operation.

Energy conservation continued to be the focus of attention. Continuous efforts were made to fine tune heating systems and tighten buildings as much as possible. The Mildred Rogers School and the Town Hall Annex were closed to cut down on fuel use. A reduction of 49,500 gallons of fuel was accomplished in 1979 over 1978, but the price rose sharply so the fuel budget continues upward.

The roof maintenance program at the Shawsheen Street School was completed, adding approximately ten years to the life of the roof. School and Town buildings' roofs, with one exception, are in excellent condition. Our continued maintenance program will within the year have them all in good repair.

Personnel from the department programmed the voting machines and set them up for the elections.

A new condensate return system was installed in the High School heating system. This combined with the control system installed last year resulted in more uniform heat throughout the building, and fuel savings.

A new fertilizer and seeding program at the High School football field resulted in better turf for this season. It is expected that as this program continues over the next few years considerable improvement will result. Other fields and play areas are being maintained as well as possible within the constraints of personnel and budget.

The Board of Health, Building Inspector, Town Engineer and Recreation Departments were provided office space in the former Whitefield School. More adequate office space was provided these departments, as well as making them more accessible to the public they serve.

Vandalism was not as severe as in 1978, if window repairs can be used as a guide. One hundred and forty-two less windows were repaired in 1979 then in 1978.

The Preventative Maintenance program started in 1977 has proven successful. Emergency calls have been reduced by 50% especially in motors, pumps and heating systems. Further reductions are expected as the personnel and the system becomes more experienced.

1979 was a successful year for the Public Buildings and Grounds Department. I believe we satisfied most of our clients. As we go into the new decade, I and the personnel of the department are looking forward to providing the high quality service that the building user has come to expect. Every effort will be made to provide a safe and comfortable environment for the public, school personnel, students and town departments that use our buildings and grounds.

My most sincere appreciation to the maintenance, grounds, custodial and clerical personnel for their support and assistance throughout the year. Without these people the job would not have been accomplished. Also, I thank those departments that provided assistance throughout 1979.

Board of Health

Thomas Morris was elected Chairman of the Board of Health again for the period 1979-1980. Joseph Paglia and James Durkee comprised the other two Board members.

... There was no change in personnel during 1979.

... No Public Health Physician was recruited to replace Dr. Francisco.

... The Board of Health budget increased by approximately 14%. This was due primarily to the increase in th rubbish collection contract.

... A new three year rubbish contract was signed for the rubbish collection in July with Stanley Roketenetz (

... The Board continued to fund Wilmington Family Counseling which showed an increase in service at the same cost to the Town.

... A total of $13,500 was budgeted for Share.

... A new law was enacted by the State Legislature making rabies immunization for dogs mandatory in order t be licensed. Four hundred twenty-three (423) dogs were immunized at the annual dog clinic.

... The Board of Health offices were relocated to the Whitefield School.

... A Diabetic Screening Program was started at the Drop-In-Center.

... As part of the Board's Industrial Program, a Tuberculin Testing Program was held at Sweetheart Plastics.

... Assistance for a Flu Clinic was provided at a local industry.

... A Town wide Flu Clinic was held.

... The Board participated in Hospital Day at the New England Memorial Hospital and sponsored a hearing test.

... Funding was discontinued for the services of legal counsel.

... Students were accompanied to the Lawrence Experiment Station and the Food and Drug Laboratory as part of Good Government Day.

... Mystic Valley continued to provide services to the Town. The Town made no funds available.

... The Director received the Robert C. Perriello Award as the Sanitarian of the Year from the Massachusetts Environment Health Association.

... The Director was reelected to the Executive Board of the Massachusetts Health Officers Association.

... National Hypertension Month was observed in May by making free blood pressure tests at various drug store and Library.

... Tuberculosis testing was conducted in the schools as an adjunct to the school health program.

... Surveillance of the local chemical plants continued in 1979.

... The Board of Health met routinely on a monthly basis for the conduct of its business.

A. COMMUNICABLE DISEASE

1. Monthly Immunization Clinic	Attendance	30
	Home visits	23
	Office visits	63
	Head Start	13
2. Communicable Diseases Reported		51
3. Flu Immunization Program	Total doses administered	580
4. Tuberculosis Report	T.B. tests to High School seniors	75
	T.B. tests to children at Headstart	43
	T.B. tests to school personnel	215
	T.B. tests to local industry	237
	Office visits	162
	Home visits	35

B. PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING

1. Nursing visits during year		437
	Office visits	72
2. Premature births reported		3
	Home visits	13
3. Newborn infants	Home visits	27
4. Hypertension Program	Office visits	291
	Attendance at monthly clinic	222
	Town Employees	17
	School Personnel	88
	Location at drug stores	97
5. Diabetic Screening	Attendance at monthly clinic	50
	Town Employees	15
	Attendance at Drop-In-Center	100
	School Personnel	62
	Office visits	16
	Fees collected	$230.00
6. Drop-In-Center	Number of counseling sessions	49
	Attendance	784
7. Gentle Exercise Program	Number of sessions	32
	Attendance	563
8. General Health Supervision	Home visits	1018

C. ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

1. Licenses and Permits	Sewerage	95
	Food	105
	Milk (store)	66
	Milk (vehicle)	0
	Stable	19
	Refuse Transportation	32
	Installers	23
	Piggery	1
	Miscellaneous	64
	Fees collected	$1,960.00
2. Food Establishments	Inspections	77

C. ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH (continued)

3.	Complaints		222
4.	Inspection of Animals	Animals quarantined	47
		Animals released	47
		Animals disposed of	331
5.	Dental Clinic	Number of children serviced	1222
6.	Installers Examination	Exams given	11
7.	Sewerage	Inspections/Investigations	603
8.	International Health Certificates		3
9.	Bathing Areas	Samples collected	8
10.	Water Analysis		1
		Samples collected	4
11.	Recreation Camps	Inspections	2
12.	Court	Court appearances	8

The Board did not fund legal services for fiscal 1980.

13. Solid Waste

The Board signed a new three year contract for the collection of rubbish. The contract price for the first year was $189,000.00

14. Rabies Clinic — Dogs immunized — 423

15. Mystic Valley Mental Health Association

	1977	1978	1979 (11 months)
Adults	77	104	106
Child/Family	29	48	56
Total	106	152	162
Monthly average	39	58	64

A total of 106 Wilmington cases were open during 1977, the first full year that Mystic Valley served the Town. 152 clients and their families were seen during 1978. 162 families were served during the first 11 months of 1979. The monthly average of cases increased from 39 in 1977 to 67 in 1979. This represents an increase of 64%.

During the 11 Months of 1979:
9 residents participated in the partial hospitalization program.
8 residents received mental retardation services.
2 children were in early intervention program.
2 clients/families were seen by emergency services.
8 residents were evaluated by a Mystic Valley Psychiatrist at the Woburn Center.
149 families received outpatient services.
11 residents were hospitalized at the Met. State Hospital.

16. Share

Financial Summary:
Share's total income, January 1, - December 31, 1979, is $597,526. During this twelve month period, Share actually expended $16,509 in services to the residents of Wilmington ($14,485 direct; $2,024 indirect.) That is 2.8% ($16,509 divided by $597,526) of Share's income went to Wilmington. Wilmington contributed $13,206 which is 2.2% of Share's income. For each dollar Wilmington contributed, Wilmington citizens received $1.25 in services.

16. Share (continued)

		Sub-Total	Total
Central Intake Unit			
	3 Intake Evaluations x $82.32/client	246.96	
	1 Intake Evaluation x $90.55/client	90.55	= $ 337.51
Outpatient Drug-Free Counseling (24 clients)			
	278 client weeks x $24.12/week	6,708.14	
	159 client weeks x $26.70/week	4,245.30	= $10,953.44
Other Community Services			
	Parents Group 10.0 hours		
	Communicating Adoles. 2.0 hours		
	Evaluations 7.0 hours		
School Groups and In-school counseling			
	Girls Group 19.0 hours		
	Boys Group #1 14.0 hours		
	Boys Group #2 10.0 hours		
	Wilm. W. Inter. 29.0 hours		
	Wilm. High School 31.5 hours		
	Wilm. Spec. Education .75 hours		
	123.25 hours x $15.28		
	Evaluations 5.0 hours		
School Groups and In-school counseling			
	Girls Group #1 10.5 hours		
	Girls Group #2 3.0 hours		
	Boys Group #1 3.0 hours		
	Wilm. W. Inter. 24.0 hours		
	Wilm. N. Inter. 22.5 hours		
	Wilm. High School 10.0 hours		
	78.0 hours x $16.81		
	Total 201.25 hours		= $ 3,194.44
Sub-Total			= $14,485.39
Ancillary and indirect costs including Central Administration, Business Management, Clinical Supervision, and Program Evaluation. (13% of above total January to June - 15.5% July to December 1979.			= $ 2,024.28
GRAND TOTAL			= $16,509.67

For every dollar contributed to SHARE, Wilmington has received $1.25 in services

Town contribution to date - January to December 1979 = $13,206.00

17. Wilmington Family Counseling Service, Inc.

CLIENTS:		Contract	Other	Total
Number of families in treatment Average per month - 55		98	54	152
Number of new families Average per month - 5.7		42	26	68
Number of families returning for further treatment Average per month - 2.5		16	14	30
Primary presenting problems				
Adult with personal emotional problem	41%			
Marital problems	22%			
Child adjustment or management problem	21%			
Adolescent adjustment or management problem	15%			
Sources of referral				
Self	35%			
Friends and family	31%			
Physicians and hospitals	3%			
Schools	10%			
Mental health professionals & agencies	9%			
Public service agencies	6%			
Clergy	0%			
Lawyers, courts, and police	6%			
Number of families terminating treatment Average per month - 8.3		66	34	100
SERVICE				
Number of scheduled counseling and therapy sessions Average per month - 150		1145	659	1804
Number of cancellations 11% cancellation rate		131	70	201

Consultation and educational services

Specific agency or group	Service
Choate Hospital Inpatient Psychiatric Unit	Case Consultation
Department of Public Welfare	Case Consultation
Head Start Parents' Group	Community Education
Mass. Department of Mental Health Adolescent Planning Conference for Mystic Valley	Community Information and Planning
Office for Children	Community Information and Planning
Wilmington Public Schools	Case Consultation

Cost to town per scheduled appointment: $7.21
Decreased 31% from $10.50 in 1978
Decreased 49% from $14.10 in 1977
Decreased 63% from $19.67 in 1976

Number of scheduled counseling and therapy sessions increased 9% over 1978.

Recreation Commission

Although Recreation is as old as civilization itself, its inclusion as a primary municipal service is a relatively new and complex phenomenon. Society's change from "work ethic" oriented to the current and futuristic leisure-oriented type has forced a reassessment of municipal functions. Recreation as a human service component is afforded a role of increasing importance within the changing framework of government delivery systems. The impact that increased leisure time is having on all of us presents a formidable challenge to the recreation profession as it attempts to meet current and future leisure needs of the populace. The following objectives of the Recreation Department serve as a guide in our efforts:

OBJECTIVES:

To provide opportunities for self expression

To develop a sense of personal worth

To provide activities that allow for personal achievement and accomplishment

To provide activities that are fun and enjoyable

To provide physical activities which are new and different, offering a certain amount of challenge to participants

To teach skills in various activities that will have carry-over value in later life

To provide a healthful and diversified program of recreation activities in an attempt to meet the needs and interests of the people being served

The Recreation Department in its ninth year with a full time director presents the following breakdown on 1979 programs and services:

YOUTH PROGRAMS

Summer Playgrounds: The playgrounds of '79 again registered approximately 2,000 youngsters between the ages of 6 and 12. The six playgrounds ran for a seven week period on a Monday through Friday basis from 9:00 to 3:00 p.m. each day. Each of the six playgrounds were staffed by three leaders and a youth C.E.T.A. aide. Individual playgrounds were responsible for implementing a wide variety of recreational activities for their registrants. Included as part of each playground's program were: arts and crafts, drama, interplayground competition, tennis, field trips, special events, family night cookouts, sports and games, tournaments and pool days. Special events included the Hersey Track and Field Meet at Wilmington with finalists going to Brockton for the State Meet, Sand Castle Sculpture Contests at Crane's Beach and Arts and Crafts Exhibit on the Common. Other Special Events that also took place during the playground season, were: Knights of Columbus Olympics, Simmon's Croquet Open, Horseshoe Tourney, Tennis Tourney, Police Association Beach and Soap Box Derby, a Penny Carnival at the Wildwood Playground with the proceeds once again going to the Jimmy Fund, Whiffle Ball Tourney, and the "Little Red Wagon" on the Common. With the help of a large group of volunteers and the financial support by citizens and civic groups, this unique program as always was well received by the entire town.

Tiny Tots: This pre-school program, in its third summer of operation, proved to be extremely popular. The Buzzell School served as the location for the program which consisted of two three-week sessions. Within each session there was a morning class and an afternoon class. Each session met each day for the three-week period. Activities included many kinds of games, songs, skits, arts and crafts, special events such as: Red Dox Day, Crazy Hat Day, Mickey Mouse Day, Gymnastics Lessons, Swimming Lessons, Banana Split Day, Stone Soup Day, Great Kiwanis Balloon Launch and Easter Bunny Visit. There were field trips to the local fire station and library, Drumlin Farm, New England Aquarium, and the Stoneham Zoo. A very special day for each child was graduation day where all the tots received their own diploma.

This program received a very high level of success which can be attributed to the many hours of planning and competent and dedicated staff.

Special Needs: For the fifth year in succession we were fortunate in that we were allowed to use the facilities at Camp 40 Acres for this program. The program was staffed by thirteen supervisors and leaders plus S.P.E.D.Y. personnel and many volunteers. The youngsters were supervised almost on a one on one basis because of the large assistance we were fortunate enough to have. This program, like the playgrounds ran for seven weeks from Monday through Friday. Their operating times were 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Some of the many activities at the Camp included: arts and crafts, drama, field trips, pool days, active and quiet games, family cookouts, overnight camping and physically corrective activities. Special events included participation in the Playground Olympics and Beach Day, Kiwanis Club Cookout, family night supper and awards at the Sons of Italy Hall and the Custodians Cookout plus the conducting of our fourth annual Super Stars Competition sponsored by the Tewksbury-Wilmington Elks and participated in by eight surrounding towns. This program is 50% reimbursable from the Commonwealth.

Teen Center: This summer marked the fifth year of this program for local teens. The Walker School was once again the site for the Center with the downstairs being used as a lounge, and the two main floor classrooms being used as game rooms. This six week program operated on a Monday to Friday basis. Over 300 youths in grades 7 to 12 participated in the program which consisted of active and quiet games, tournaments, field hockey clinics, disco dance night, field trips to Hampton Beach, the Bal-A-Roue, Fenway Park and an overnight camping trip to Pawtuckaway State Park in New Hampshire.

Baseball: Our Northeast Baseball League team was made up of local boys between the ages of 15 and 18. The team played a 24 game schedule in a 9 team division within the league. All home games were played on the High School field during their playing season which ran from June through July. Coaches and managers for the team volunteered their services with the team finishing with an 18-6 record, good enough for 2nd place.

Softball: During the summer months of June, July and August, girls between the ages of 13 and 16 played softball in our intra-town league. Approximately 100 girls participated in this six team intra-town league. games were played at the Town Park on Tuesday and Saturdays. Each team played a 15 game schedule in a concluding round-robin tournament. The Travelling team played in the Middlesex League with home games being played on Tuesday and Friday evenings at the Town Park.

Six teams of boys, ages 13 to 17 formed our intra-town "one pitch" league. Over 100 boys participated this year. Their games were played on Sundays at the High School's Junior Varsity Field. They played a 10 game schedule with playoffs concluding the season on July 1. All of the coaches served on a volunteer basis.

Town Beach: Residents of all ages made use of the Silver Lake beaches. Qualified lifeguards supervised the public beach seven days a week from June through Labor Day. The Town is fortunate to have such a valuable natural recreation asset within its borders.

Swimming Lessons: The Recreation Department once again used the fine swimming facilities at the Shawsheen Tech Pool throughout the year for youth Red Cross lessons, adult swim and family swim as well as for special occasions such as the Jr. Winter Carnival. Swimming Lessons were also held at Silver Lake. Classes there included beginners, advanced beginner, intermediate, water safety aide and advanced life saving. Over 200 youths were involved in these summer lessons. Our entire lesson programs is extremely beneficial as more and more people are becoming involved in water oriented recreation.

Canoeing: The Recreation Department offered Red Cross Canoeing lessons in July and August at Silver Lake. The classes met on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. A former U.S. Olympic Coach gave valuable lecture and demonstration to the class on one occasion. The canoes were also available for rental to the general public.

Basketball: In its sixteenth year, our winter league registered approximately 500 people from ages 9 on up. There were 44 teams in the three youth divisions and men's divisions. Games during the season, which ran from December through March, were played on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings plus most of the day on Saturday and Sunday. Approximately 100 volunteers served as coaches and officials for this league.

Girls' teams practiced on Wednesday evenings from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. in the North Intermediate Gym and Thursday in the High School Gym. Women practiced in the same gym from 8:00 to 9:30 p.m. Boys' teams practiced in the West Intermediate School Gym on Thursdays from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. while the men practiced in that gym from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m.

There were three clinics held for squirt boys (ages 9 and 10) in December and three clinics for squirt girls (ages 9 and 10) in January. The clinics were run by volunteers.

Tennis Lessons: Our tennis lessons program proved to be an extremely popular program once again. There were four, three week sessions for local residents between the ages of 9 and up. The program ran from May through August with Youth Classes being held on Saturdays and Adult Classes meeting on Monday and Wednesday evenings.

Gymnastics: There were two sessions this year, a summer and fall program for girls. Girls ages 4 through 12 participated in these programs. Over 200 girls learned basic and more advanced maneuvers by participating in this popular program.

Baton: Lessons for girls ages 5 through grade 12 were held throughout the winter on Wednesday afternoons and Saturdays. Over 30 of these twirlers participated as a unit in the Memorial Day Parade and the Veterans Day Parade.

Another 10 week, Saturday program was held on Saturdays in the fall at the American Legion Hall.

Soccer: Our two spring soccer teams for boys competed in the Middlesex Youth Soccer League. The A team for boys ages 15 and under played on Sunday while the B team, comprised of boys ages 13 and under, played on Saturdays. The season ran from April through mid-June with home games being played at the Shawsheen School.

A new intramural, instructional program was initiated in September. The program showed the 150 plus boys in grades 1 to 6 the basic fundamentals of individual and team play. The program was conducted by volunteers and was held on Saturdays at the Shawsheen School.

Elementary Open Gyms: The Shawsheen and Woburn Street School Gyms were open to grades 1 through 6 on Saturday mornings from January into March. A variety of active sports and games were available for the children. The gyms are usually filled to capacity during the open gym hours.

Intermediate Open Gyms: Both the North and West Intermediate School Gyms were utilized by intermediate age students on Saturday afternoons from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Basketball, gym hockey and tumbling were available to participants. This program also ran from January into March.

Teen Open Gym: The Woburn Street School Gym was open on Saturdays from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. for grades 9 to 12.

The program ran from January into March. The principle activity was basketball.

Bowling: This is an extensive school year program which runs out of Pleasure Lanes in North Reading. The program ran every weekday after school starting in October and ending in March. Included were grades 4 through 12. Each school and bowler participated once a week. Bowlers received bus transportation from their school to the lanes and back to the vicintiy of each bowler's home, plus 2 strings of bowling, a bowling shirt, instruction, supervision and a chance to win one of many trophies.

Santa's Workshop: Over 350 good little boys and girls visited Santa and his elves at their Workshop in the former Mildred Rogers School. Children were able to sit on Santa's lap and receive a color snapshot with Santa. They also received a candy cane, a helium filled Christmas balloon and a chance to win prizes from under Santa's Christmas tree. All donations received during the program were sent to Globe Santa.

Ski Lessons: This was a self supporting program for boys and girls in grades 4 to 6. The program consisted of 5 Wednesday afternoon classes at Boston Hills in North Andover. Fifty skiers of varying abilities took part in this very successful program. On the last day of class, races were held as was a little ski party in the lodge.

Universal: There was a 10 week exercise program in the fall for high school boys and girls utilizing the new Universal exercise machine which was donated to the Town by the Rotary Club.

Others: The Recreation Department either sponsored or participated in the following programs for Wilmington youth: vacation programs, ski trips including an overnight to Vermont, dances, Jr. Winter Carnival, Celtics trips, Easter Egg Hunt, free public skating, Memorial Races, Horribles Parade, Student Government Day, Punt Pass and Kick, Fun Runs and the Boston Globe Ski Clinic.

ADULT PROGRAMS

Men's Open Gym: Men, over 18, were able to participate in an informal gym program on Thursday evenings from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m. in the West Intermediate School Gym. This program is usually well attended and runs from November through March.

Basketball: Men competed in a separate league within the Basketball League. Their games were played in the High School Gym on Sunday, Monday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings. The season began in December and lasted through March.

Ladies Open Gym: Ladies, ages 18 and over, had the use of the North Intermediate Gym on Wednesday evenings from 8:00 to 9:30 p.m. Informal basketball was the activity provided. The program ran from early December through March.

Co-Ed Volleyball: This popular co-ed adult program ran on Thursday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. in the North Intermediate School Gym. The program ran from January through March and was well attended.

Softball: A very active and successful men's softball league was conducted over the summer at the Town Park. This entire program is supervised and conducted by volunteers spending much valuable time to insure the continued success of this program.

Yoga: This was a new exercise program for adults. There were two classes which met in four separate 8 week sessions throughout the year.

Ladies Slimnastics: This is a popular exercise program for the ladies. There was a 10 week program beginning in January and a 12 week program beginning in October. The classes are always full.

Disco Dancing: Ten week sessions were held in the winter, spring and fall. The winter program consisted of four disco classes. The spring classes again were made up of four classes. In the fall there were two adult disco classes meeting weekly.

Concerts: Music filled the air around the Common during the summer of 1979. There were ten concerts held with many residents of all ages coming to enjoy a family outing. Sponsors were: Sweetheart Plastics, W.G. Leavitt and Son, Compugraphic, Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, F & R Auto Supply, Fred F. Cain, Charles River Breeding Labs, DeMoulas Supermarkets, Bedell Brothers Insurance, The Kiwanis Club and Wilmington Ford.

Universal: We began formal use of the Rotary Club donated exercise machine inthe fall with a 10 week program. Men and ladies had separate classes.

Others: Additional adult programs involving the Recreation Department were: Fun Runs and Running Clinics, use of the Town Beaches, Boston Globe Ski Clinic, tennis lessons, canoe lessons and rental, Memorial Weekend Races, public skating and Celtics games.

The Recreation Director was also involved in the planning and running of a Physical Fitness Week at the new Regional Health Center.

COMMUNITY YOUTH

Several youth organizations in town received partial financial support through the Recreation Department budget. These excellent programs are run by interested volunteers who devote their time in helping our younge people receive enjoyment through recreation activity. These organizations are Youth Hockey, Figure Skating Cl Pop Warner, Senior Little League, Pony League, Soccer and Tennis Club.

A Close Race

Planning Board

The Wilmington Planning Board meets each Tuesday night at the Town Hall Annex, and its office is open three days a week.

The Wilmington Planning Board continues to serve the Town of Wilmington to the best of its ability.

For the entire year of 1979, the Planning Board has functioned without the services of a Planning Assistant. It has become more evident during these times, that the Planning Board Secretary has shown the ability and experience that was needed. Professional services which may be needed from time to time, can be hired on a consultant basis. Thus, the in-house services being more completely utilized, the Planning Board will lower its budget requirements for the coming year.

The following being some of our involvements and endeavors for 1979.

General Planning

1. The Planning Board has continued to rework and revise the P.R.D. By-Law. This enabling Act By-Law has been transformed to meet the needs of the town as a whole. This was achieved by first contracting a Professional Consultant and forming a Steering Committee. The Steering Committee consisted of Selectman, Rocco De Pasquale; Barbara Larson of the Housing Authority; Arnold Blake and John DeRoy of the Planning Board. The Planning Board as a whole, then worked with the consultant and the Steering Committee input, to construct the By-Law. This completed By-Law will be submitted to the Annual 1980 Town Meeting.

2. I-93 Corridor Study: Throughout the year, the Planning Board has been constantly involved in the I-93 Corridor Study. The Planning Board will continue to be involved in order to support Wilmington. The Residents of Wilmington and the Industries of Wilmington, shall be the first concern of the Planning Board.

3. A special report was completed by the Planning Board Secretary at the request of the Board. The intent of the study was to examine the success or failure of Rezoning Articles. The time span was from the inception in 1970 of the Master Plan to the present, 1979. This information being valuable information at hand for the Planning Board, i.e.: 1970 - 1979, 43 Rezoning Articles were proposed at Town Meeting. Thirteen articles were approved, 15 disapproved, and 15 were passed over, less than 30% in favor on Town Meeting vote.

4. The Planning Board has been involved in the Flood Insurance Program. This has brought Wilmington and its Boards and Commissions a fine flood insurance boundary map. The best we have to date.

5. The Planning Board is conducting a project to define the best use of existing Town-owned land. The major concern of the Planning Board was the search for open-land in assisting the Housing Authority's request for space to develop housing for the elderly. A map was prepared indicating 15 acre or more parcels to be used by the board in future land use studies. The Planning Board interest in open-space increased, and further study shall be needed.

6. The Planning Board assisted, if only in a small way, towards the application for a Community Development Block Grant by the Assistant Town Manager. The Planning Board continues to assist these endeavors for town betterments.

Subdivisions and Plans 1979

1. The Planning Board received 75 plans and applications for (approval not required under Subdivision Control Law). Planning Board endorsement: 72 plans were approved, 1 plan was disapproved, 1 Planning Board chose no action, 1 plan was withdrawn without prejudice.

2. In keeping with the responsibility of Section IV-F of the Zoning By-Laws, the Planning Board reviewed and made recommendations on 13 parking plans submitted to the Board by the Town Engineer.

3. No new subdivision plans were submitted to the Planning Board throughout 1979. The Board has been keeping a concerned interest on the status of existing incomplete subdivisions.

The coming year that brings new challenges and demands from the Planning Board, are looked upon with eagerness and sincerity by the entire members; for the Town and its people, which they serve.

John W. DeRoy, Chairman
William G. Hooper, Jr.
Louis A. Maglio, Jr.
Kenneth J. Miller
Arnold C. Blake

Redevelopment Authority

Mrs. Currie Johnson was reappointed by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to serve another term on the Wilmington Redevelopment Authority.

The fruits of the Wilmington Redevelopment Authority's efforts were realized in 1979 when Altron, Inc., who had expanded their buildings to nearly double its present size in 1978; increased the number of their employees to approximately four hundred.

With Altron, Inc., J.B.F. Scientific and Harwich Chemical now occupying the Park, the total assessed valuation to the Town of Wilmington is now $671,000, as compared to approximately $500 when the Park was first started in 1973.

The Planning Board took control of the security funds for the completion of Jewell Drive and the Board hopes to sell the remaining acreage in the Park in 1980 thus finalizing this project.

Conservation Commission

This was another busy year for the Wilmington Conservation Commission, with a schedule which included 28 regular meetings, 18 Wetland Protection Act hearings, and 260 on-site inspections. Members attended two prehearing conferences with the Department of Environmental Quality Engineering in Boston and 6 on-site inspections with state DEQE officials. In addition to actual hearings, much of the Commission's time is spent in consultations, with prospective applicants at their request, as a courtesy, and as a means of explaining wetland considerations. In the case of potential or actual violations of the Act, the Commission explains the intent of the Wetland Protection Act and the various wetland interests which the Commission is required to protect.

In order to maintain communication and encourage co-operation on projects of mutual concern, members of the Commission attend many meetings of other town boards. On a regional basis, membership and participation in a number of environmentally-related organizations, such as, Massachusetts Association of Conservation Commissions, Massachusetts Forests and Parks, Conservation Law Foundation and the Ipswich River Watershed Association provides valuable information, opportunity for exchange of ideas and sources of help which enable the Commission to carry out its responsibilities more effectively.

During the past year, the Commission was active in the preliminary meetings of the HUD Flood Insurance Mapping for the town, seeking public input on the maps and sponsoring a public information meeting on this HUD program, which the town will be asked to accept at the Town Meeting. Although only the major tributaries of the Ipswich and Shawsheen Rivers, the maps will be another helpful resource for the Commission. The intent of the HUD program is to save money and lives by limiting the amount and type of development in floodprone areas via an insurance program, rather than by flood disaster relief. The town must accept the program in order to be assured of other federal monies for projects, which impact these flood prone areas.

In another effort to protect wetland values and the water supply, the Commission requested support from Representative Miceli and Senator Buell, along with efforts of other town officials, in seeking funding from the State for a salt storage shed. Wilmington will receive a share ($30,000.) of the appropriated state funding to house the deicing salts, thus preventing the undesireable leaching of this material into the wetlands, as well as loss of dissolved salt when it stands open to rain and snow as in the past.

In the area of land acquisition, the Commission received the donation of 6 acres of wetland from Senpek Realty Corporation. The town, also, receives reimbursement of $3,800. from the state for the purchase of Conservation land.

Student Government Day found two Commission members escorting 5 students on a tour of the Deer Island Sewerage Treatment Plant, and then joining other student government officials for a tour of the State House with Representative Miceli. Participating students are strongly encouraged to attend as many Commission meetings as possible and then report on their impressions and what they have learned from the experience.

Believing that the education and encouragement of youth in areas of conservation and ecology are increasingly important, members had been looking for a camping program, which would offer this valuable experience for girls as well as for boys. Since the funding for conservation camp was eliminated from the Conservation Commission budget, this past year, we were unable to sponsor any students, as had been done in previous years. However, the Commission would be glad to share its information on the opportunities available for individuals and families.

The Commission wishes to thank the many townspeople and officials who have displayed an interest in the wetland resources of their town.

Membership remained stable during the past year and the Commission welcomes the support of new associate member, Larry Labrie.

Town Counsel

In accordance with the requirements of the Town By-Laws, I submit herewith my report as Town Counsel covering the year 1979.

(a) On January 1, 1979, there were pending the following actions by or against the Town (exclusive of actions in which the Town was merely summoned as trustee, and in which it had no interest, and of tax lien foreclosure proceedings in the Land Court and petitions for abatement before the Appellate Tax Board*).

Beatrice G. Swenson v. Town of Wilmington, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition in equity for appeal for variance by zoning by-laws).

Androniki Gaglione v. Thomas B. Brennan, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages).

Joseph Scaro, etal v. County of Middlesex etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

John E. Hayward, etal v. County of Middlesex, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

John E. Hayward, etal v. County of Middlesex, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

Robert Stevens, Tr. v. Town of Wilmington and Planning Board, Land Court (Petition for registration and claim to Swain Court - Private Way).

Town of Wilmington v. Frank C. Powers, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for contempt for failure to comply with final decree).

Richard D. Zambernardi, etal v. Town of Wilmington Board of Selectmen, Middlesex Superior Court (Suit in equity for declaratory judgment to determine the validity of betterment assessment).

Town of Wilmington v. Oxford Associates, Inc., Middlesex Superior Court (Claim to recover motor vehicle excise taxes).

Harry S. Sukeforth, etals, Trs. v. Inhabitants of the Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages).

Else M. Lanois v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

Sanborn Brothers, Inc. v. Town of Wilmington, District Court of Lowell (Action for property damage - negligence).

Stepan Chemical Co. v. Town of Wilmington, etals, Appeals Court (Bill of complaint for declaratory relief as to the validity of a sewer betterment assessment).

Stepan Chemical Co. v. Town of Wilmington, etals, Appeals Court (Bill of complaint for declaratory relief as to the validity of Assessment of sewer use charges, for recovery of damages and for injunctive relief).

George Anderson, etal v. Town of Wilmington, etal, Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Claims for personal injury).

School Teacher v. The Wilmington School Committee, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (Complaint of discrimination as to benefits).

John J. Lyons, etal v. Town of Wilmington, Land Court (Complaint to determine validity and extent of the zoning by-laws of the town of Wilmington).

George W. Lloyd, etal v. Jackson Brothers, Inc., etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Complaint for alleged damages resulting from diversion of water).

James Zaccagnini v. James Marsi, Middlesex Superior Court (Complaint alleging libel by police officer in the performance of his duties).

Edward W. Powers, etal v. Town of Milton, etal, Supreme Judicial Court (Declaratory judgment to determine constitutionality of Civil Service Statute).

Stepan Chemical Co. v. Town of Wilmington, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for abatement of sewer betterment assessment).

Stepan Chemical Co. v. Town of Wilmington, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for abatement of sewer use charge).

Rosaline T. Abi-Ezzi v. Wilmington School Committee, etal, Massachusetts Commission Against Discrimination (Claim for payment of maternity benefits).

Joseph J. Salpietro, etal v. Robert E. Shelley, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Claim for personal injury and property damage).

Alice Papaliolios v. A. Daniel Gillis, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Complaint for invasion of privacy and defamation).

Donald Robbins, Trustee v. A. Daniel Gillis, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages).

James Zaccagnini v. Sterling C. Morris, etals, U.S. District Court of Massachusetts (Suit alleging violation of plaintiff's civil rights).

Town of Wilmington v. Rosnoe Construction Corp., etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Action to restrain the removal of soil, loam, sand or gravel from defendant's premises).

Gibbs Realty and Development Corporation v. Bruce MacDonald, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Appeal from decision of Board of Appeals denying building permit).

Frances Dec v. Town of Wilmington, etal, Massachusetts Commission Against Discrimination (Complaint alleging sex discrimination).

Dorothy A. Cosman v. Town of Wilmington, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Claim for personal injury).

Fosters Pond Improvement Association, Inc., etals v. Aldo Caira, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Action in the nature of certiorari for decision of Board of Selectmen granting earth removal permit).

Ruth J. Gronemeyer, Exec. v. George R. Allan, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Complaint for assessment of damages).

James Rooney v. Sterling C. Morris, etals, Municipal Court of the City of Boston (Appeal from decision of Civil Service Commission sustaining appointing authority).

Wilmington Town Employees Association, Inc. and Town of Wilmington, American Arbitration Association (Demand for arbitration of contract provisions).

Traffic Supervisors (AFSCME, Council 93) and Town of Wilmington, Labor Relations Commission (Mediation and fact finding).

*There are pending as of January 1, 1980, 55 separate petitions for abatements before the Appellate Tax Board, many involving claims for several different years.

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AFSCME, Council 93, Local 1703 v. Town of Wilmington, Board of Conciliation and Arbitration (Fact finding after labor negotiations impasse).

Beverly Doyle, etals v. Bruce MacDonald, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Appeal from decision of the Board of Appeals granting special permit for use of premises for research and testing laboratory including raising and keeping of animals).

Lucille Costa, etal v. Town of Wilmington etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Action for personal injury from motor vehicle accident).

George Donovan, etal v. Bruce MacDonald, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Appeal from the decision of the Board of Appeals denying variance to construct a single family dwelling).

George R. Vinal, Inc. v. Town of Wilmington, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Action of quantum merit to recover fair and reasonable value of services provided to Jewell Mfg. Company, Inc. for subdivision road and utilities and/or to reach and apply monies held by the Town of Wilmington).

James Martin v. Derek Little, Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Claim for non-payment of wages by former teacher).

New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. v. Town of Wilmington, Boston Municipal Court (Claim for breach of contract).

School Teacher v. Wilmington School System, Commission Against Discrimination (Claim for sex discrimination).

AFSCME, Council 93, Cemetery Employees v. Town of Wilmington, Labor Relations Commission (Claim for unit recognition).

Pacella Bros., Inc. v. Town of Wilmington Water and Sewer Commissioners, American Arbitration Association (Demand for arbitration on sewer construction project).

Labor Relations Commission v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Complaint to enforce order of Labor Relations Commission).

(b) (2) During the year 1979, the following new actions were brought by or on behalf of the Town.

Town of Wilmington v. AFSCME, Council 93, Labor Relations Commission,(Complaint for declaratory judgment to determine rights).

Town of Wilmington v. Albert Silva, Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Claim for personal property tax).

Town of Wilmington v. Labor Relations Commission, Middlesex Superior Court (Complaint for judicial review of decision of Labor Relations Commission).

Aldo A. Caira, etals v. Bioassay Systems Corp., etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Appeal from decision of the Board of Appeals granting special permit for use of premises for research and testing laboratory including raising and keeping of animals).

(c) During the year 1979, the following actions by or against the Town were disposed of.

James Zaccagnini v. James Marsi, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by satisfaction of execution by payment of $22,000.00).

Donald Robbins, Trustee v. A. Daniel Gillis, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by satisfaction of execution of the Court in the amount of $51,494.12 after jury trial).

James Zaccagnini v. Sterling C. Morris, etals, U.S. District Court of Massachusetts (Disposed of by dismissal with prejudice).

Town of Wilmington v. Albert Silva, Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Disposed of by satisfaction of execution of the Court in the amount of $402.09).

AFSCME, Council 93, Cemetery Employees v. Town of Wilmington, Labor Relations Commission (Disposed of by withdrawal of claim).

AFSCME, Council 93, Local 1703 v. Town of Wilmington, Board of Conciliation and Arbitration (Disposed of by fact finders report filed with both parties).

Bevery Doyle, etals v. Bruce MacDonald, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by judgment for the plaintiffs annuling decision of the Board of Appeals).

Aldo A. Caira, etals v. Bioassay Systems Corp., etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by judgment for the plaintiffs annuling decision of the Board of Appeals).

James Martin v. Derek Little, Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Disposed of by application being dismissed for want of probable cause).

Stepan Chemical Co. v. Town of Wilmington, etals, Appeals court (Disposed of by decision of Appeals Court declaring betterment invalid).

School Teacher v. The Wilmington School Committee, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (Disposed of by withdrawal of claim).

Edward W. Powers etal v. Town of Milton, etal, Supreme Judicial Court (Disposed of by decision of Court declaring statute constitutional).

Alice Papaliolios v. A. Daniel Gillis, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by dismissal with prejudice).

Wilmington Town Employees Association, Inc. and Town of Wilmington, American Arbitration Association (Disposed of by award of Arbitration finding Town's violation of collective bargaining agreement concerning overtime work of Cemetery Department employees).

Installing Christmas Lights on Town Common

Council on Aging

Services and programs are offered to the elderly person of Wilmington through the Council on Aging, consisting of an eleven member board, its co-ordinator and senior aide. They work together to operate and maintain senio programs, which help the elder citizen who might be in need of assistance to function independently in their own homes or to enjoy programs oriented to the social welfare and happiness of the senior citizen.

The Council on Aging budget, voted on at the Annual Town Meeting, finances the operation of all programs for the seniors. The services and programs are co-ordinated through the Senior Citizen Drop-In-Center. The Center has been donated to the seniors through the generosity of Mike DeMoulas of the DeMoulas Supermarkets. The Center is utilized by 1300-1500 seniors a month.

The Council through their budget have purchased a mini-bus, which is used to transport seniors to doctors, dentist, hospitals, social service agencies, hot lunch site, the Drop-In-Center and other elderly related appointments. In the course of a month between 400-600 persons will utilize the mini-bus service.

The senior citizen hot-lunch program has a two-fold purpose for Wilmington seniors. It delivers hot lunches to senior citizen shut-ins and serves a hot lunch to other seniors at the North Intermediate School. Every month between 500-600 meals are delivered to shut-ins and 300-400 meals served at the North Intermediate School.

Scheduled activities are available to Wilmington senior citizens. They include swimming at the Shawsheen Valley Technical High School, exercise program at the Knights of Columbus Hall, bowling at the North Reading Lanes, arts and crafts lessons, dancing lessons, bi-monthly whist parties and cards, television, checkers, music, reading, socializing and coffee and goodies are available every day from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Drop-In-Center.

Many guest speakers are invited to the Drop-In-Center throughout the year. These speakers will focus on topics of special interest to our senior citizens.

The year 1979 brought an increase in the Winterization Program. With the increase cost of fuel many of our seniors had their homes insulated through this program. The Fuel Assistance Program in 1979 allowed many of our seniors to receive assistance with their fuel bills.

The Council on Aging pays annual dues to the MinuteMan Home Care Corp. In return the elderly in Wilmington receive assistance in such forms as homemaker services, chore workers, legal help, medical transportation outside of our mini-bus area and rehabilitation services. Nema Miller serves on the Board of M.M.H.C. as a director and Josephine Carlson serves as an alternate director.

The year of 1979 saw an increase in all our social programs, these include the Friendly Visiting Association, Dial a Friend, Sunshine Ladies, personal counseling, Vial of Life and the Council on Aging and Woburn District Court youth"Work for Seniors Program". These services have been developed with the cooperation of many organizations, including the Woburn District Court, Mystic Valley Mental Health, surrounding Councils on Aging, the Wilmington Board of Health and many volunteers from the community, and the senior volunteers themselves.

Throughout the year the seniors have many socials sponsored by the Council on Aging or donated to the seniors by many businesses, clubs and churches in the Town of Wilmington. These include trips to places of interest such as: The Quincy Market, Weir's boat trip, Harbor Cruise, plays, circus, dinner shows, Red Sox games, Halloween Party, Sweetheart's Ball, and the Christmas party all sponsored by the Council on Aging.

A dinner dance donated by the Tewksbury-Wilmington Elks, Christmas party donated by Sweetheart Plastics Co. and a picnic donated by St. Dorothy's Parish, periodic Masses and refreshments are also donated by St. Dorothy' Parish.

Housing Authority

During 1979, under the Chairmanship of Barbara H. Larson, and with the help of the Executive Director Henry E. Borrazzo, Vice Chairman George W. Hooper, Secretary Lorraine C. Brozyna, Treasurer Kevin J. McMillan, Assistant Treasurer Melvin F. Keough, and Administrative Assistant Sandra H. Walsh, the efforts of the Authority were to seek Federal funding to obtain additional housing for the elderly. This path was decided upon because of the fact the State had, in past years, rejected applications for housing due to the funding district in which Wilmington was located. The efforts of the Authority's membership were successful, and as a result, Wilmington has been granted approval to construct 80 units of elderly housing and 25 units of family housing. The preliminary paper work and search for Developers and land to locate and build the units are underway. Once the Developer has been selected and the location has been specified, all details of the Project will be presented to the various Town Boards for their review; and finally the entire package of facts will be presented to the townspeople for acceptance.

A public relations effort was launched to explain, express and dispel confusion and misconceptions as to what impact these projects would have on the Community. It was expressly written into the Federal proposal that 15% of the total cost of the Project funds would be required to be spent in the Town of Wilmington for the purpose of purchasing materials, supplies and services. It is the intention of the Authority Members and Chairperson Larson to significantly aid the economic structure of the Community with an impact of $515,000.00 for business.

Representative James Miceli was successful in his efforts to redistrict Wilmington so that future State funding will be less difficult to obtain. As a result, Wilmington will be vying with communities similar in size.

An extensive Modernization Program continues at Deming Way with the finalization of the water purification system and the weatherization program and rehabilitation of roofs. Modifications were made to the septic system and chloridation treatment station.

An intensification and focusing of social programs have been introduced as well as the formation of a personalized service program, with personnel funded through the CETA Program, to provide physical services to the residents of Deming Way.

Chairperson Barbara H. Larson, Vice Chairman George W. Hooper, Secretary Lorraine C. Brozyna, Treasurer Kevin J. McMillan and Assistant Treasurer Melvin F. Keough express their appreciation for the cooperation the Authority has received from the various Town Boards and Administration Department, and are looking to 1980 to see the construction and occupancy of the new units thus bringing some relief to the ever swelling list of needy, elderly and handicapped applicants for housing.

Organization

The Wilmington Housing Authority is authorized by Section 3 of Chapter 121B of the General Laws, as amended.

Statutory Reference

1. Housing Authority Law: Section 261 of the General Laws, as amended.

2. Act of providing Housing for Elderly Persons of Low Income: Chapter 667 of the Acts of 1954, as amended.

BALANCE SHEET AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1979 667-1

ASSETS

Administration Fund	4,533.19	4,533.19
Accounts Receivable	2,096.83	2,096.83
Investments	12,471.48	12,471.48
Prepaid Insurance	567.87	
Prepaid Retirement	351.00	981.87
Modernization Award		56,127.44
Development Cost	575,000.00	
Less: Dev. Cost Liquidation	135,000.00	440,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS		516,147.81

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

Accounts Payable	7,623.94	
Employee' Payroll Deductions	501.30	8,125.24
Tenants Prepaid Rents	71.00	71.00
Grants Authorized		440,000.00
Notes Issued	135,000.00	
Less: Notes Retired	135,000.00	0.00
Modernization Grant		56,033.25
Capital Reserve	17,027.19	
Operating Reserve	15,793.61	32,820.80
Residual Receipts (Deficits)		(20,902.48)
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND RESERVES		516,147.81

BALANCE SHEET AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1979 705-1

ASSETS

Administration Fund	3,505.21	3,505.21
Accounts Receivable	121.00	121.00
Investments	12,020.67	12,020.67
Prepaid Insurance	79.47	
Prepaid Retirement	39.00	118.47
Development Cost		185,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS		200,765.35

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

Accounts Payable - Development	8,709.20	
Accounts Payable - 667-1	669.49	
Accounts Payable - Vendors	760.27	10,138.96
Grants Authorized		185,000.00
Operating Reserve		11,713.03
Residual Receipts (Deficits)		(6,086.64)
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND RESERVES		200,765.35

BALANCE SHEET AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1979 SECTION 8

ASSETS

Cash - General Fund		2,730.07
Accounts Receivable		11.44
Prepaid Insurance	198.55	
Deferred Charges	250.00	448.55
TOTAL ASSETS		3,190.06

BALANCE SHEET AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1979 SECTION 8 (continued)

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS

Withholding Taxes		28.88
Accounts Payable - HUD	0.00	
Accounts Payable - 667-C	57.00	57.00
Prepaid Annual Contributions		7,636.00
Unreserved Surplus	(83,226.35)	
Operating Reserve	0.00	
Project Account	32,826.89	
Cumulative HUD Contributions	50,341.11	(58.35)
Interest Income		40.03
Administrative Expenses	(407.50)	
Housing Assistance Payments	(4,106.00)	(4,513.50)
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS		3,190.06

BALANCE SHEET AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1979 MODERNIZATION

ASSETS.

Modernization Fund		9,112.70
Modernization Costs		79,253.01
TOTAL ASSETS		88,365.71

LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS

Contract Retentions		0.00
Modernization Grants		88,367.71
Administrative Expenses		(2.00)
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND SURPLUS		88,365.71

Constable

During the year the following notices and warrants were posted:

Event	Posted	Date
Town Meeting	6 places	February 16, 1979
Adjourned Town Meeting	6 places	April 11, 1979
Special Town Meeting	6 places	April 11, 1979
Adjourned Town Meeting	6 places	May 20, 1979
Special Town Meeting	6 places	September 11, 1979

We have also served and posted notices for the Town and other of its officers and departments.

Historical Commission

In this 250th anniversary year of the incorporation of the Town of Wilmington, the Historical Commission hopes that all of the Town's citizenry will become more aware of the many historically significant attributes of their surroundings. Hoping to illuminate some of the more important structures and sites, this past year the Commission has been preparing an historic site map of the Town which, when completed, will be made available to anyone wishing a copy. In conjunction with this map, historic house and site markers are being prepared for many of Wilmington's oldest homes and interesting sites so that they will be easily identifiable.

It seems that each year much of the energy of the Historical Commission is directed toward the administration and care of historic Harnden Tavern. This year the Commission is delighted to announce that the color history analysis of the paint for most of the interior of the building has been completed. This color analysis was conducted by Dr. Judith Selwyn, a former associate of The Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities (Dr. Selwyn was seen on Channel 2 this year doing a similar study for the program "This Old House"). As a result of Dr. Selwyn's study, paint in the proper period shades for each room has been purchased, and it is hoped that painting can begin shortly.

The Commission is excited about this project, since it feels that the rooms in their original colors will give the viewer a better perception of what life was like in Wilmington in the past. Various new furnishings have been acquired for the Tavern, either through donation or purchase, and the upstairs bedroom is finally taking shape. Mr. Foster Balser, a member of the Commission, has restored the rope bed (which has stood in the corner for several years now), and an old-time feather bed has been supplied by Mr. and Mrs. John TenDyke. This room also contains the bulk of a textile collection on loan from friends of the Tavern.

Oft times projects fail due to lack of perserverance. Such is not the case regarding the long-planned stonewall for Harnden Tavern. Thanks to the persistent efforts of Chairman Frank Curley and Evelyn Kaminski, all of the groundwork is complete. Warren Newhouse, local stonemason, has been engaged to build the wall using stones donated to the Tavern by Camp 40 Acres, and the stonewall will be in place by spring.

As always, the Commission has sought to aid the Friends of Harnden Tavern in any way possible, and has done so again this year with respect to the various social and fund-raising events held at the Tavern. The Commission urges the townspeople to attend and support the programs offered by the "Friends", since a great deal of time and effort go into the planning of each of these events. Aside from furnishings donated by local residents, these fund-raisers are the major means by which much-needed furniture can be acquired for the Tavern.

The Commission is pleased that each year the Harnden Tavern is used by more and more local school and scout groups, as well as the general public. As the price of gasoline continues to escalate, travel to historic areas, such as Sturbridge Village, is becoming an impossibility for many. It makes sense that local museum facilities, such as the Harnden Tavern, should be used to educate those who seek an historical link with the past. However, the responsibility for the success of a local historical museum must rest with its local citizens, and the Commission urges anyone interested in promoting the development of historic Harnden Tavern to attend either the meetings of the Historical Commission or the meetings of the Friends of Harnden Tavern.

Carter Lecture Fund

1980 is a milestone for the Sarah D. J. Carter Lecture Fund Committee. Following is a brief history from early records.

The Donor, Mrs. Sarah Davis (Jaquith) Carter, was born in Wilmington on March 24, 1832, daughter of Joshua and Sabra (Gowing) Jaquith of the stock of early settlers of the town. She was married to Cyrus Lewis Carter on February 5, 1874 in Wilmington, and died in Wilmington on November 28, 1907.

Following is the bequest contained in Mrs. Carter's will, which bore the date of November 26, 1907, and was admitted to Probate in Middlesex County, December 24, 1907:

> "Eleventh: I give and bequeath to the Town of Wilmington the sum of Six Thousand Dollars, in trust to invest the principal sum and to expend the income in maintaining courses of lectures for the benefit of the people of Wilmington. I direct that the principal of this fund shall be invested only in such securities as may be a lawful investment for Savings Banks in this Commonwealth except that it shall not be loaned on the security of individual names. And should the principal of said trust fund be lessened by depreciation in the value of the securities in which the investment may be made, or by leases, then the income accruing from the investments shall be allowed to accumulate and to be capitalized until the fund shall be restored to its original value of Six Thousand Dollars."

Town Meeting, March 1, 1909 - At the request of the Executor of Mrs. Carter's will the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting in Wilmington on March 1, 1909, contained the following:

> "Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept the bequest contained in the will of the late Sarah D. J. Carter, and determine how the same shall be cared for."

The Town Clerk's record of the meeting tells of the following action:

> "Article 18. On motion it was unanimously voted that the Town of Wilmington accepts the legacy of Mrs. S. D. J. Carter, and that the same be placed in the hands of the Board of Trustees of Trust Funds for investment, and the income derived therefrom be paid annually to a committee consisting of five members ..."

Lowell Thomas, Thornton Burgess and Branson DeCoue were among those on some of the earlier programs. More recently Dr. Murray Banks, Rear Admiral Donald B. MacMillan, Captain Irving Johnson, Malcolm Maynard Miller, Stanton Waterman and John Roberts were with us.

Mr. Kenneth Wilson arranged a program - "AN EVENING OF MUSIC FROM ERIN" - with the Reverend Francis Strahan for March 16, 1979. However because of illness, Mr. Wilson was unable to be with us. The Reverend Rodney Copp, organist, accompanied Father Strahan, who sang many numbers and lead the audience in a Sing-a-Long. It was an excellent program and was followed by a standing ovation.

As so many were disappointed that Mr. Wilson could not be with us last year, the committee has requested him to arrange a return engagement for Father Strahan. We are very pleased to announce that Father Strahan and Mr. Wilson; both graduates of the New England Conservatory of Music, will present a program at the United Methodist Church, 8:15 Friday Evening, May 2, 1980.

Accepted Streets

STREET	LOCATION	LENGTH	DATE (s) ACCEPTED		
Adams Street	from Middlesex Avenue to Parker Street	2,915	1908		
Adelaide Street	from Church Street to Middlesex Avenue	666	1976		
Agostino Drive	from Gandalf Way	999	1979		
Aldrich Road	from Shawsheen Avenue to Billerica Line	6,740	1894		
Allen Park Drive	from Fairmont Avenue to Fairmont Avenue	2,319	1971		
Andover Street	from Salem Street	180	1894		
Andover Street	from Andover Line to beyond Woburn Street	11,300	1894	1970	
Anthony Avenue	from Salem Street to Catherine Avenue	300	1966		
Apollo Drive	from Charlotte Road to Draper Drive	300	1971		
Arlene Avenue	from Salem Street to Ella Avenue	3,754	1966	1978	
Auburn Avenue	from Shawsheen Avenue	755	1945		
Ayotte Street	from Westdale Avenue to Crest Avenue	240	1947		
Baker Street	from Brand Avenue to beyond Phillips Avenue	684	1945		
Baland Road	from Ballardvale Street	540	1972		
Ballardvale Street	from Salem Street to Route 125	965	1894		
Ballardvale Street	from Route 125 to Andover Line	12,000	1894		
Bancroft Street	from Liberty Street	400	1952		
Barbara Avenue	from Anthony Avenue to Dorothy Avenue	850	1966		
Beacon Street	from Church Street to Belmont Avenue	970	1915		
Beech Street	from Burlington Avenue to Byron Street	1,005	1947		
Beeching Avenue	from Cunningham Street to Faulkner Avenue	440	1959		
Belmont Avenue	from Columbia Street to State Street	980	1933		
Benson Road	from Radcliff Road to Tewksbury Line	616	1971		
Biggar Avenue	from Salem Street to Ring Avenue	1,282	1975		
Birchwood Road	from Shady Lane Drive	1,197	1952		
Birchwood Road	from Judith Road	400	1953		
Boutwell Street	from Burlington Avenue to Aldrich Road	4,144	1894	1960	1971
Brand Avenue	from Bridge Lane	510	1933	1943	
Brand Avenue	from Baker Street to beyond Wisser Street	950	1933	1943	
Brattle Street	from Massachusetts Avenue to Garden Avenue	1,066	1945		
Brentwood Avenue	from Woburn Street to Woodside Avenue	1,017	1938		
Bridge Lane	from Shawsheen Avenue	455	1894		
Bridge Lane	from Main Street to beyond Brand Avenue	754	1894		
Broad Street	from King Street	1,377	1954		
Burlington Avenue	from Main Street to Burlington Line	8,588	1894		
Burnap Street	from Grove Avenue	1,145	1953		
Burnap Street	from Winchell Road	484	1945		
Burt Road	from Cedar Street to beyond Water Street	1,653	1945	1946	
Butters Row	from Main Street to Chestnut Street	3,577	1894		
Buzzell Drive	from Draper Drive to Evans Drive	600	1971		
Canal Street	from Shawsheen Avenue to Burt Road	1,505	1939	1955	
Carolyn Road	from North Street to Marcia Road	1,268	1960	1971	
Carson Avenue	from Marie Drive to beyond Hathaway Road	1,017	1961		
Carter Lane	from Shawsheen Avenue to beyond Norfolk Avenue	1,411	1957		
Catherine Avenue	from Anthony Avenue to Arlene Avenue	1,000	1966		
Cedar Street	from Burt Road to Harris Street	687	1945		
Cedar Crest Road	from Pinewood Road to Judith Road	1,100	1963		
Central Street	from Church Street to Middlesex Avenue	552	1950		
Chandler Road	from Adams Street to Kelley Road	400	1957		
Chapman Avenue	from Hathaway Road to Sheridan Road	1,575	1951	1971	
Charlotte Road	from Gunderson Road to beyond Apollo Drive	859	1971		
Chase Road	from Hathaway Road	297	1953		

STREET	LOCATION	LENGTH	DATE(s) ACCEPTED		
Chestnut Street	from Burlington Avenue to Woburn Line	11,480	1894		
Church Street	from Main Street to Middlesex Avenue	4,285	1894		
Clark Street	from Main Street to Church Street	2,470	1894	1969	
Clorinda Road	from Agostino Drive	887	1979		
Cochrane Road	from Forest Street to Wabash Road	800	1947		
Columbia Street	from Church Street to beyond Belmont Avenue	1,150	1908	1933	
Concord Street	from Federal Street to North Reading Line	5,803	1894		
Congress Street	from Forest Street to Burlington Line	977	1939		
Cook Avenue	from Main Street	813	1946		
Coolidge Road	from Hathaway Road	270	1951		
Corey Avenue	from Canal Street to Grand Street	366	1951		
Cottage Street	from Main Street	927	1954		
Crest Avenue	from Ayotte Street	558	1947		
Cross Street	from Main Street to Lowell Street	697	1894		
Cunningham Street	from Salem Street to Beeching Avenue	2,447	1944	1953	1952
Cypress Street	from Glen Road	260	1951		
Dadant Drive	from North Street to North Street	1,760	1964		
Davis Road	from Main Street	500	1952		
Dayton Road	from Hathaway Road	170	1951		
Dell Drive	from Burlington Avenue	1,794	1958	1971	
Dexter Street	from Main Street	480	1979		
Dobson Street	from Glen Road to beyond Garden Avenue	1,402	1954		
Dorchester Street	from Billerica Line	1,214	1951		
Dorothy Avenue	from Arlene Avenue to Barbara Avenue	1,490	1960		
Draper Drive	from Gunderson Road to Evans Drive	1,560	1959	1971	
Drury Lane	from Glen Road to School Street	633	1963		
Dublin Avenue	from Main Street	500	1951		
Dunton Road	from Nassau Avenue	649	1956		
Eames Street	from Main Street to Woburn Street	3,200	1894		
Edward Road	from Forest Street to beyond Baldwin Road	450	1947		
Ella Avenue	from Arlene Avenue to Arlene Avenue	1,043	1978		
Elwood Road	from Forest Street	642	1968		
Emerson Street	from Faulkner Avenue to Oakwood Road	590	1951		
Englewood Drive	from Kenwood Drive	455	1971		
Evans Drive	from Gunderson Road to Draper Drive	2,071	1971		
Everett Avenue	from Faulkner Avenue to Cunningham Street	480	1979		
Fairfield Road	from Main Street	1,299	1946		
Fairmeadow Road	from Nichols Street to Nichols Street	2,328	1958		
Fairmont Avenue	from Malloy Road	952	1971		
Fairview Avenue	from State Street	648	1933		
Faneuil Drive	from Massachusetts Avenue to beyond Harvard Ave.	790	1950		
Faulkner Avenue	from Glen Road to Jacobs Street	1,946	1944	1953	
Fay Street	from Glen Road to Garden Avenue	714	1938	1945	
Federal Street	from Middlesex Avenue to Woburn Street	5,740	1894		
Ferguson Road	from Shawsheen Avenue	1,073	1967		
Fletcher Lane	from Kilmarnock Street to Morgan Road	792	1977		
Floradale Avenue	from Burlington Avenue	627	1970		
Fordham Road	from North Reading Line	3,714	1971		
Forest Street	from Burlington Avenue to Aldrich Road	4,100	1894	1976	
Franklin Avenue	from Arlene Avenue to Arlene Avenue	739	1978		
Frederick Drive	from Salem Street	1,070	1966		
Freeport Drive	from Park Street to Lucaya Circle	2,086	1979		
Gandalf Way	from Glen Road to Agostino Drive	549	1979		
Glen Road	from Middlesex Avenue to Main Street	6,870	1894		
Glendale Circle	from Glen Road to Lawrence Street	1,304	1952		
Glenview Road	from Suncrest Avenue	365	1959		
Gowing Road	from Park Street to Marcus Road	941	1956		

STREET	LOCATION	LENGTH	DATES(s) ACCEPTED
Grace Drive	from Shawsheen Avenue to beyond Melody Lane	2,514	1966
Grand Street	from Corey Avenue	815	1952
Grant Street	from Federal Street	780	1943
Grove Avenue	from Main Street to Lake Street	4,147	1910
Grove Street	from Reading Line	120	1957
Gunderson Road	from Marie Drive to beyond Evans Drive	1,506	1959 1966
Hamlin Lane	from Lawrence Street	540	1962
Hanson Road	from Woodland Road	838	1969
Hardin Street	from Aldrich Road to Jaquith Road	428	1951
Harnden Street	from Main Street to Glen Road	600	1895
Harold Avenue	from Shawsheen Avenue to Reed Street	1,312	1971
Harris Street	from Burlington Avenue to Cedar Street	806	1945
Harvard Avenue	from Main Street to River Street	430	1951
Hathaway Road	from Woburn Street to Evans Drive	3,270	1951 1953 1959 1971
Hawthorne Road	from Woburn Street	230	1956
Heather Drive	from Freeport Drive to North Reading Line	1,286	1979
High Street	from Middlesex Avenue to Woburn Street	3,585	1894
Hillside Way	from Chestnut Street to Burlignton Line	2,230	1914
Hilltop Road	from Suncrest Avenue	364	1959
Hobson Avenue	from Pine Avenue to beyond Wisser Street	1,560	1945 1951 1952
Hopkins Street	from Shawsheen Avenue to Billerica Line	3,051	1894 1972 1975
Industrial Way	from Woburn Street to West Street	4,430	1974
Jaquith Road	from Shawsheen Avenue	1,398	1938 1949 1951
Jere Road	from Fairmeadow Road to Fairmeadow Road	1,248	1968
Jones Avenue	from Glen Road	717	1940
Judith Road	from Cedar Crest Road to Birchwood Road	400	1953
Kelley Road	from Chandler Road	923	1957
Kendall Street	from Aldrich Road to Blanchard Road	1,420	1945
Kenwood Avenue	from Woburn Street to beyond Englewood Drive	1,725	1970 1971
Kiernan Avenue	from Lowell Street to beyond Naples Road	693	1958
Kilmarnock Street	from West Street to beyond Morgan Road	1,840	1894
King Street	from Glen Road to Broad Street	2,400	1940 1945
King Street Extension	from Glen Road	487	1979
Kirk Street	from Main Street	575	1951
Lake Street	from Main Street to Shawsheen Avenue	3,855	1894
Lang Street	from Bancroft Street	409	1952
Laurel Avenue	from Parker Street to Molloy Road	659	1950
Lawrence Court	from Lawrence Street	728	1956
Lawrence Street	from Glen Road to Shady Lane Drive	4,013	1956
Ledgewood Road	from Suncrest Avenue	383	1959
Lexington Street	from Cunningham Street to Morningside Drive	714	1974
Liberty Street	from Federal Street	740	1943
Lincoln Street	from Federal Street	720	1943
Linda Road	from High Street to beyond Pineridge Road	1,760	1950
Lloyd Road	from Main Street	1,050	1951
Lockwood Road	from Ballardvale Street	977	1957
Longview Road	from Middlesex Avenue	650	1959
Loumac Road	from Drury Lane	510	1963
Lowell Street	from Main Street to Reading Line	10,152	1894 1978
Lowell Street Park	from Lowell Street	580	1908 1957 1958
Lucaya Circle	from Heather Drive to Freeport Drive	2,469	1979
Mackey Road	from Federal Street	250	1943
Magazine Road	from Wisser Street	320	1973
Magazine Street	from Taplin Avenue	190	1973

STREET	LOCATION	LENGTH	DATE (s) ACCEPTED
Main Street	from Tewksbury Line to Woburn Line	21,387	1894
Marcia Road	from North Street to beyond Carolyn Road	2,806	1962 1971
Marcus Road	from Gowing Road	2,315	1958
Marie Drive	from Woburn Street to beyond Gunderson Road	1,525	1961 1966
Marion Street	from Burlington Avenue to beyond Clifton Street	1,876	1945
Marjorie Road	from Main Street	1,392	1951
Massachusetts Avenue	from Main Street to beyond Brattle Street	810	1945
McDonald Road	from Salem Street	2,621	1944
Meadow Lane	from Suncrest Avenue	364	1957
Melody Lane	from Shawsheen Avenue to Grace Drive	245	1966
Middlesex Avenue	from Main Street to Salem Street	12,140	1894
Miles Street	from Main Street to Hobson Avenue	380	1945
Miller Road	from Glen Road	638	1945
Moore Street	from Shawsheen Avenue to beyond Wedgewood Avenue	1,528	1967
Morgan Road	from Kilmarnock Street	653	1977
Morningside Drive	from Lexington Street to Fairfield Road	693	1974
Morse Avenue	from Woburn Street to beyond Lawn Street	1,360	1939
Mystic Avenue	from Middlesex Avenue	598	1908
Nassau Avenue	from Shawsheen Avenue to Dunton Road	1,566	1946
Nathan Road	from Senpek Road	1,057	1971
Nichols Street	from Shawsheen Avenue to Billerica Line	3,801	1894
Nickerson Avenue	from West Street	953	1947
Norfolk Avenue	from Carter Lane to Nassau Avenue	537	1954
North Street	from Middlesex Avenue to Marcia Road	3,515	1945
North Washington Avenue	from Agostino Drive	858	1979
Nunn Road	from Kelley Road	214	1965
Oak Street	from Salem Street	355	1951
Oakdale Road	from Short Street to Judith Road	2,301	1950
Oakridge Circle	from Gowing Road to Gowing Road	1,730	1958
Oakwood Road	from Main Street to beyond Emerson Street	800	1946
Olson Street	from Church Street	122	1957
Park Street	from Woburn Street to North Reading Line	4,180	1895
Parker Street	from Lowell Street to Blackstone Street	2,000	1907 1919
Patricia Circle	from Dell Drive	595	1958
Pershing Street	from Federal Street	720	1943
Phillips Avenue	from Wild Avenue to beyond Baker Street	1,519	1946 1954
Pilling Road	from Hathaway Road	954	1959
Pine Avenue	from Main Street to Hobson Avenue	380	1945
Pineridge Road	from North Street to Linda Road	914	1960
Pineview Road	from Cobalt Street to Adelman Road	450	1953
Pinewood Road	from Shady Lane Drive to Oakdale Road	1,364	1954
Pleasant Road	from Middlesex Avenue to Linda Road	750	1962
Powder House Circle	from Middlesex Avenue	710	1954
Presidential Drive	from Boutwell Street	826	1977
Progress Way	from Industrial Way	630	1974
Radcliff Road	from South Street to Benson Road	355	1971
Railroad Avenue	from Clark Street	650	1909
Reading Avenue	from Oakwood Road	215	1979
Redwood Terrace	from Kenwood Avenue	645	1970
Reed Street	from Shawsheen Avenue to beyond Harold Avenue	1,090	1971
Richmond Street	from Main Street to Shawsheen Avenue	1,800	1973
Ridge Road	from Suncrest Avenue	365	1956
Ring Avenue	from Salem Street to Biggar Avenue	1,150	1975
River Street	from Massachusetts Avenue to Harvard Avenue	453	1962
Roberts Road	from Burlington Avenue to Burlington Avenue	1,861	1967
Rollins Road	from Marion Street to Fenway Street	200	1954
Roosevelt Road	from Boutwell Street to Swain Road	1,980	1946

STREET	LOCATION	LENGTH	DATE (s) ACCEPTED
Route 62	from Middlesex Avenue to Salem Street	3,343	1958
Royal Street	from Salem Street	1,043	1951
Salem Street	from Tewksbury Line to beyond Ballardvale St.	8,895	1894
Salem Street	from North Reading Line to beyond Woburn St.	6,475	1894
Scaltrito Drive	from Salem Street	785	1974
School Street	from Middlesex Avenue to beyond Drury Lane	1,139	1915 1963
Senpek Road	from Wildwood Street to Nathan Road	280	1971
Sewell Road	from Hathaway Road	300	1955
Shady Lane Drive	from Middlesex Avenue to Lawrence Street	2,904	1950 1958
Shawsheen Avenue	from beyond Richard Street to Billerica Line	11,845	1894
Sherburn Place	from Shawsheen Avenue	723	1975
Sheridan Road	from Woburn Street to Hathaway Road	1,021	1951 1971
Sherwood Road	from Forest Street to Cochrane Road	445	1971
Silver Lake Avenue	from Lake Street to Dexter Street	455	1954
Sparhawk Drive	from Park Street to Heather Drive	361	1979
Sprucewood Road	from Shady Lane Drive	690	1952
State Street	from Belmont Avenue to Fairview Avenue	315	1933
Strout Avenue	from Lowell Street	908	1955
Suncrest Avenue	from West Street to Ledgewood Road	1,246	1954
Swain Road	from Burlington Avenue to Forest Street	2,290	1922 1929
Taft Road	from Boutwell Street to Swain Road	1,986	1938
Taplin Avenue	from Wisser Street	461	1946
Taplin Avenue	from Baker Street	900	1946
Temple Street	from Church Street	214	1911
Thrush Road	from Salem Street to Marie Drive	400	1961
Thurston Avenue	from Church Street to beyond Kidder Place	623	1907
Truman Road	from Hathaway Road	300	1953
Unnamed Street	from Salem Street to Andover Street	470	1958
Upton Court	from Andover Street	500	1894
Veranda Avenue	from Main Street	847	1916
Virginia Road	from North Reading Line to North Reading Line	1,105	1954
Walker Street	from Main Street	423	1958
Warren Road	from Wightman Road to Tewksbury Line	97	1954
Washington Avenue	from Clark Street to Stone Street	1,650	1920
Webber Street	from Burlington Avenue	677	1969
Wedgewood Avenue	from Moore Street	476	1967
West Street	from Woburn Street to Reading Line	8,372	1894 1978
Westdale Avenue	from West Street	1,211	1942
Wicks Circle	from Everett Avenue	533	1971
Wightman Road	from Warren Road to Tewksbury Line	239	1954
Wild Avenue	from Grove Avenue	1,050	1910
Wildwood Street	from Middlesex Avenue to Woburn Street	5,290	1894
Williams Avenue	from Main Street	706	1940
Wilson Street	from Federal Street	760	1943
Wilton Drive	from Shawsheen Avenue	1,151	1966
Winchell Road	from Grove Avenue to Burnap Street	193	1945
Wing Road	from Woburn Street	746	1958
Wisser Street	from Main Street to Brand Avenue	1,146	1950
Woburn Street	from Andover Street to Woburn Line	23,122	1894 1978
Woodland Road	from Lowell Street	1,174	1969

Vandalism Committee

In 1978 a Town-wide Vandalism Committee was formed through the action of Walter Pierce, Superintendent of Schools, the School Committee, Sterling C. Morris, Town Manager and the Board of Selectmen. The Committee was charged with the responsibility of investigating and finding possible solutions to our mutual vandalism problems.

During 1979, the Vandalism Committee met monthly to study the many facets of this problem. We heard citizen complaints, we saw various movies with the theme of vandalism prevention and good citizenship, and we discussed what other towns are doing to prevent vandalism.

The Committee undertook the goal of writing a report offering our recommendations regarding vandalism prevention. In order to study the subject of vandalism in depth, we divided into four subcommittees. The subcommittees were: Police, Technical, Communication, and School.

The actions and recommendations of each subcommittee are summarized as follows:

- The Police Subcommittee recommended more mutual cooperation and support between the Police Department and the community in an effort to increase the awareness of vandalism prevention.

- The Technical Subcommittee recommended the use of vandal-proof materials when equipping or repairing the schools and public buildings. Also, the upgrading of the alarm systems in the schools is recommended as a preventive measure.

- The Communication Subcommittee recommended that more communication is needed between and among all segments of the community in order to make people aware of vandalism prevention. The community should be made aware of the positive aspects of the Town in order to encourage and foster community pride.

- The School Subcommittee recommended the use of a program entitled, "Project Pride" in order to develop a positive approach to responsible citizenship in the elementary grades.

The final report was delivered to the Board of Selectmen on October 9, 1979. It contained additional recommendations and analysis. Some of them require the expenditure of public funds while the others require a change in attitude. This report will assist the Board of Selectmen in looking at the many ways to solve the vandalism problem in the town of Wilmington.

Repairing Damage Caused by Vandalism

School Committee

The School Committee of the Town of Wilmington herewith presents its report for the year 1979. The present membership of the committee is as follows:

Lester E. White, Chairperson
Philip A. Fenton, Sr., Vice Chairperson
Linda T. McMenimen, Secretary
John D. Brooks
James A. Demos
James D. Tighe

Wilmington opened its school classes this year on September 5, 1979, with a total enrollment of 4,344 students. This figure is down 270 from last year's official enrollment of 4,614.

ACCREDITATION

The Administration and Staff at Wilmington High School have been working hard on our next ten-year evaluation study by a visiting team from the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. This is scheduled to take place during the 1980-1981 school year. At this writing, several regular curriculum committees have been conducting a required self-evaluation in advance of the visiting team. Over the past ten years Wilmington High School received short term accreditation due to several notable deficiencies in the current school plant. A major two-phase renovation/conversion carried out during 1976-1978 by the School Committee has helped to ease the crowded conditions in some departments. This, combined with a general overall systemwide decline in enrollment should make the prospects for continued accreditation more reasonable. Our current accreditation has been continued through June, 1980.

STAFF RECRUITMENT

As in the five previous years, the number of qualified teachers applying for jobs greatly exceeded the limited number of positions available. The school administration received hundreds of inquiries and applications from certified teaching personnel. A significant number of these inquiries were received from out of state universities.

ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

There are many outstanding students at Wilmington High School who are recognized for their achievements in a variety of ways, including election to the National Honor Society, Honor Roll, receiving personal letters, and being selected as Junior Rotarians. This year 56 students were inducted into the National Honor Society during a candle-lighted ceremony. The Honor Roll had 120 students who were on it all year. In addition, 49 students who were on the Honor Roll for two years received a Wilmington High School "W" with an embroidered scholastic lamp, similar to athletic letters. Over 50 personal letters were sent to students whose conduct significantly improved since last year.

FACILITIES

The Wilmington School Committee established a Task Force to examine the quantity and quality of facilities available for educational programs at the High School and will report its recommendation to the School Committee by January 1, 1981. The Task Force will have broad representation by including parents, teachers, students, school committee members and administrators.

One step taken towards alleviating the space problem was making the Swain Elementary School an annex of the High School. Although this created eight classrooms, pressing needs immediately took four of the rooms. A classroom for autistic students and another room for severely intellectually handicapped students of high school age use two of the rooms. Our expanded Reading Center and Physical Education programs use two additional rooms. The remaining rooms are used by a variety of departments.

DISCIPLINE

Attendance continues to be the major discipline concern of the High School, although close to 95% school attendance is maintained. Our Alternative Suspension Program, which is essentially a family counseling program, utilizing SHARE, Inc., provides students and their parents with an opportunity to discuss home problems that might be contributing to school problems.

A group called the "Kitchen Cabinet" consisting of the President and Vice-President of each class meet regularly with the High School Principal to discuss mutual concerns including vandalism, the use of the Public Library and the Common.

GIFTED AND TALENTED PROGRAMS

The School Committee, on the recommendation of the School Administration, voted to continue its commitment to the gifted and talented program by establishing two full-time teaching positions as an adaptation and extension of Project Enterprise. The Enterprise program, dubbed Project Enterprise II, has been expanded to grade seven students who are qualified. The main thrust of the effort is the continued development of cooperative individual learning contracts for participating students. A regional support project funded through the Merrimack Education Center is also being conducted on the establishment of appropriate mentorship training at the junior high level.

At this writing, approximately 100 students are participating under the direction of the two Enterprise teachers.

ROTARY CLUB

The School Committee would like to take this opportunity, on behalf of the Wilmington Public Schools, to thank the Wilmington Rotary Club once again for its splendid donation of a Universal Gym Machine to the school department. This machine, which cost in excess of $5,000, has enabled the school department to offer an improved and more diversified curriculum in physical education. The school department has provided physical education instructors to conduct workshops and classes utilizing the machine for total community involvement. Physical education classes, intramurals, athletic teams, the maintenance department, police department, fire department, and recreation department have all benefited from the Universal fitness program.

M.O.I.S.

This year the Career and Occupational Education department obtained money for four federally funded programs under Public Law 92-482 amounting to over $26,000. One of these grants allowed us to purchase M.O.I.S. The Massachusetts Occupational Information System (M.O.I.S.) provides us with continually updated materials on occupations, training programs (from technical schools through graduate programs) and financial aid programs. It used as the basis an interactive computer program which begins with students' responses to a questionnaire to narrow the career search. Once a career has been identified, a description of the career, the outlook and then need as well as source of training programs are printed for the student. The student may explore other related careers or get information on training programs for the careers. The material is presented in a non-sterotyped format through a system which requires student participation and provides the students with their personal copy of the material.

The system lists educational institutions in New England as well as the rest of the nation, plus more than 200 specialized business, nursing and trade schools. M.O.I.S. informs students of various ways to utilize information on financial aid from nearly 500 sources in the state, with conditions of grants, amounts, deadlines and people to contact.

This program is designed so that students will have the opportunity to explore the careers they are interested in, so that they can make decisions now that will affect them later on in life.

CAREER AND OCCUPATIONAL EDUCATION RESOURCE ROOM

The Career and Occupational Education Department is still broadening and expanding the Speakers' and Shadowing programs. We have been able to obtain the services of many guest speakers to come in and speak to our students in the classroom and to tell them about their occupations. We have been able to place some students in shadowing programs, so that the students can actually feel the working experience.

Additionally, this department has found and placed eighty-five students in jobs since September. These positions

positions included some of the following areas: office work, secretary, assembly work, kitchen help, waitres salesperson, lab aide, baggers, gas station attendants, dental lab aide, cashiers, yard work, odd jobs, loading, baby sitting, washing floors, and cleaning offices.

The Career Resource Center has been helping students to acquire information about the careers in which they are interested. This office also has been giving guidance to classes of students, making them aware of all the opportunities that are available.

RESIGNATIONS AND RETIREMENTS

Requests for leaves of absence, resignations, and retirements were granted to thirty-five (35) teachers for t following reasons:

Leaves of Absence: 5

Personal	1
Sabbatical Leave	0
Maternity Leave	2
Graduate Study	1
Temporary Relocation	0
Family Responsibilities	1

Resignations: 30

Personal	1
Retirement	0
Teach in Other Communities	10
Continue Education	1
Family Responsibility	4
Career Change	1
Reduction in Force	7
Counseled Out	3
Teachers on Leave (Who Resigned)	3

The Wilmington Public Schools were in operation 180 days beginning September 6, 1978, and ending June 22, 197 The Committee held twenty-three (23) regular meetings, four (4) special meetings, twelve (12) meetings relati to collective bargaining, and one (1) public budget meeting for a total of forty (40) meetings for the year 1979.

The Committee is grateful to the other Town Officials, other Town Departments, and to the citizens of Wilmingt for their excellent cooperation and assistance during the past year.

Preparing Crosswalks for the New School Year

Superintendent of Schools

A review of the year's activities brings out the following highlights:

WILMINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

Guidance Counseling

Helping students help themselves continues to be the primary role of the guidance counselors. This is being done even more actively this year. One example of this is our Group Guidance program which was developed in conjunction with SHARE, Inc. and noted by the State Department of Education as an exemplary program. The program provides students with an opportunity to meet with their guidance counselor at least 15 times in their Freshman year at the school.

College Night and Financial Aid nights are two more programs that actively seek to provide parents and students with information. Combined, these programs attracted an audience of over 275 people. The fact that more students in the Class of '79 are going to private, rather than public, four year colleges could be because parents and students are learning about the opportunities and funds that are available.

Helping parents is important, too. With the assistance of SHARE, an evening program for parents was arranged and held at the school.

To help the Guidance Counselors be more effective, Mystic Valley Mental Health Clinic continues to provide a clinical psychologist for an in-service training program. Among the issues being discussed are children of divorce and crisis intervention.

The High School Principal coordinates these diverse Guidance Department functions with the assistance of the Dean of Students.

Foreign Language

Over 60% of the student body study a foreign language at Wilmington High School. The languages offered are French, Spanish, Italian, Latin and German. These courses are taught in the High School Annex, formerly called the Swain Elementary School. Built in 1914, it was, however, the town's only high school until the present high school was constructed in 1954. In September 1979, the Swain School became a high school once again.

Re-Introduction of Latin

In September 1979, Latin was reintroduced at Wilmington High School. More than sixty students signed up for this course. They are now involved in learning the structure of the language and English derivatives.

Latin II will be offered next year so that students can continue their progress in the language.

Spanish Students Go To Spain

In the Spring of 1979, eleven fourth and fifth year Spanish students under the direction of Miss Beth Swenson, raised money to pay their own expenses to travel to Spain. Their base of operations was Madrid, but they took almost daily "side trips" into the Spanish countryside. Students returned, full of enthusiasm and delighted that they had been able to use their language skills.

Advanced French and Spanish Students at Boston College

In October 1979, almost one hundred top foreign language students spent a day at Boston College where they attended a "Career Day on Foreign Languages". They were given many ideas on how they can combine their

foreign language skills with a career. Many students were so impressed with Boston College that they decided to apply there.

MATHEMATICS

A new elementary mathematics series has been adopted systemwide. The new program, Heath Mathematics, is adaptable to a wide spectrum of ability levels and should provide much continuity to our elementary curriculum. The content of the program shows an emphasis on computational skills and problem solving, demonstrating a departure from the "modern math" techniques of years past.

THE SPELLING PROGRAM

In September 1976 a committee of elementary teachers and the Director of English completed a guide for spelling instruction in grades K through 6. In 1976-77 and 1977-78, a pre- and post-test evaluation of spelling achievement in grades 4-5-6 was completed using the Morrison-McCall Spelling Scale. All of the classes achieved at or above grade level on the post-test. In 1978-79, the pre- and post-test evaluation used a random selection of words from the graded word list. All the gains in achievement were statistically significant. The following percentages were achieved:

	Pre-Test	Post Test
Grade 3:	72%	91%
Grade 4:	76%	83%
Grade 5:	75%	84%
Grade 6:	64%	82%

MORE STUDENT WRITING

More students are electing courses in writing in their junior and senior years. The writing courses include Writing Workshop, Developmental Writing, Basic Composition, Grammar and Usage (three levels), Journalism, Logic and Semantics, and Language Study. In 1978-79, 89% of the students enrolled in one of the above course; in 1979-80, 102% of the students have enrolled. The latter figure indicates that at least 96 more students took the above courses in 1979-1980.

READING

Enrollments in the High School Reading Center are up. Course offerings have expanded to meet student demands:

A. Reading Skills For Freshmen is now offered 5 days a week for 1 semester for 2 1/2 credits. It is designed to help ninth graders develop the reading/study skills needed to do well in their high school subjects.

B. PSAT, SAT and College Board Preparation is offered either as a semester course, twice a week, for one credit or on a short-term basis for no credit. It is open to all students who want help in preparing for these exams.

C. Reading Field Service, an independent study in which high school students are trained to tutor elementary school children in reading, has been a springboard for launching students into teaching careers. Several high school tutors who are now in the program or who have previously participated in the program have decided to enter the teaching profession as a result of their experiences in the course. Currently high school students are tutoring children in the following elementary schools

Boutwell	Wildwood
Shawsheen	Woburn Street

This is offered as a year course for ten credits.

D. Other courses that are regularly offered by the high school reading department are Speed Reading, Study Skills, and Reading Skills Elective Grades 11-12, which is offered for English credit.

The Reading Department offers courses for parents and teachers:

A. Mini-Course for Parents - As a result of popular demand, mini-courses in reading are offered for parents. Parents discuss practical means for enhancing their children's desire to read as well as their ability to read.

B. Reading In the Content Areas, a three-credit, in-service course was offered to teachers in Grades 7-12. Teachers from the following areas took this course in order to integrate the teaching of reading into everyday classroom instruction: English, Foreign Language, Math, Science, Social Studies, Reading, and Library.

In addition, the Volunteer Reading Tutor Program was expanded. This program expanded its training program which originally placed parents only in Grades 1-3 is a 20-hour program which includes classroom observation as part of the instruction.

AUDIO-VISUAL SERVICES

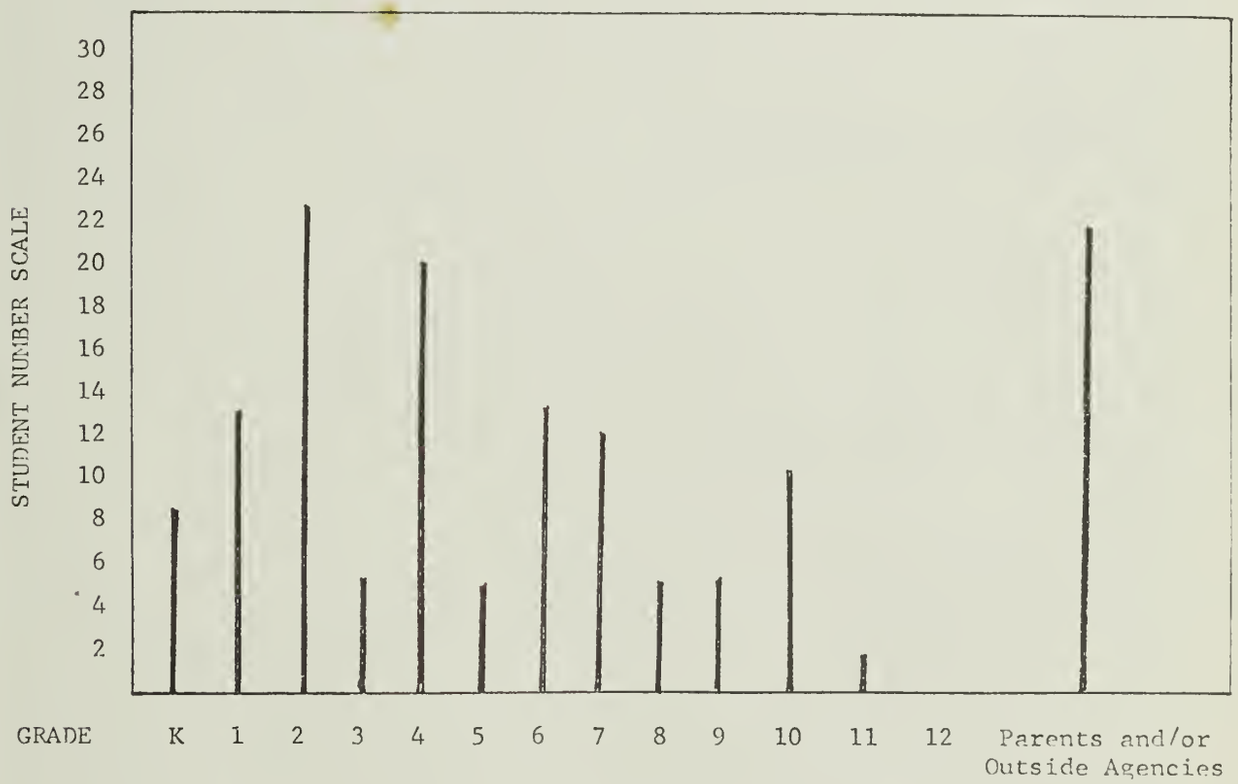
During the past year, the Director of Audio Visual Services was charged with the responsibility of supervising the successful completion of the microfilming of all school records on hand at the Roman House. The project was completed ahead of the target date leaving enough time remaining to microfilm some records designated by the high school principal. We were able to successfully microfilm between 162,000 and 178,000 school department documents prior to September 1979.

SPECIAL EDUCATION

During the 1978-1979 school year 143 students were referred for initial TEAM evaluation as provided for in Chapter 766. The following graph indicates, by grade level, the number of referrals received.

REFERRAL PATTERN FOR SPECIAL NEEDS STUDENTS

1978-1979 School Year

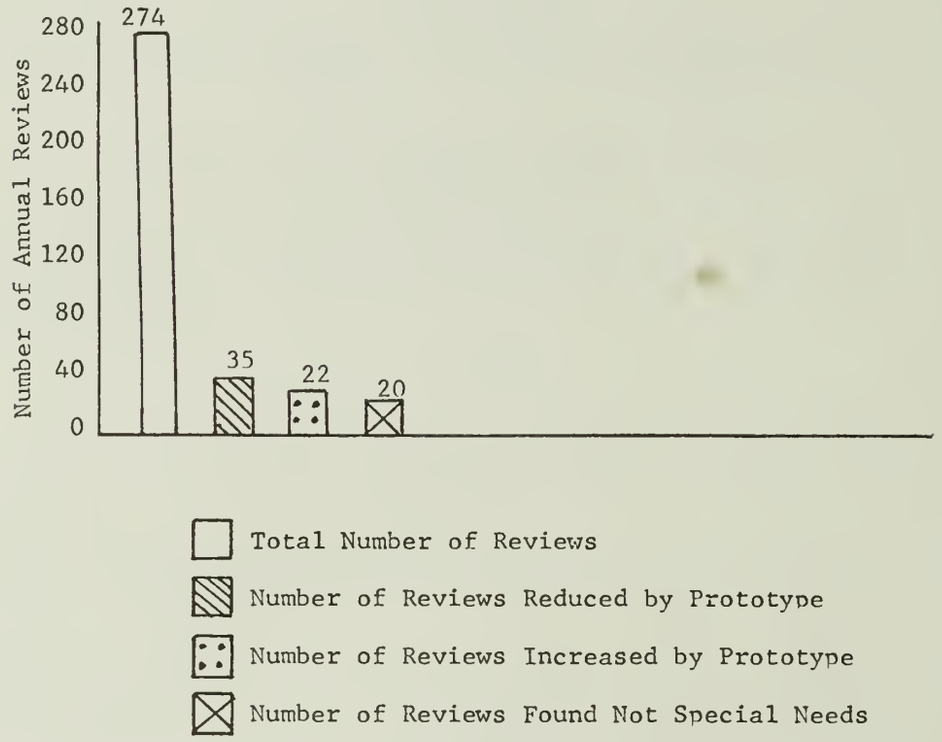


Total Number of Referrals - 143

An ongoing goal of Chapter 766 is the mainstreaming of special needs students into regular education programs. The Special Education Department is continuing to work cooperatively with all schools and departments in an effort to achieve this goal. The following two graphs provide data with regard to (a) movement among program classifications, and (b) increases and decreases of special education service hours for special needs students during the 1978-1979 school year.

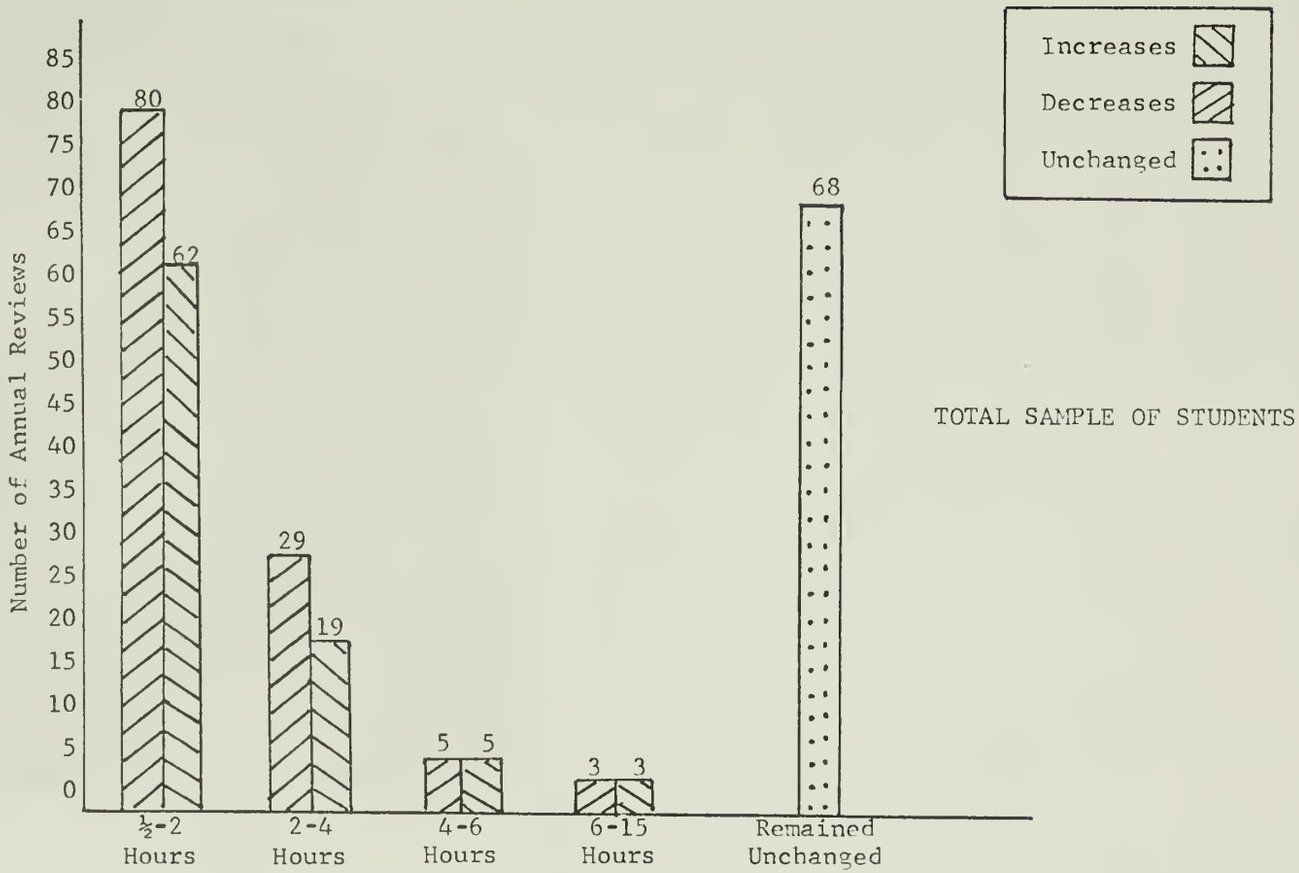
MOVEMENT AMONG PROTOTYPES

1978-1979 School Year



SERVICE TIME GRAPH

1978-1979 School Year



TOTAL SAMPLE OF STUDENTS - 274

(Does not include 502.2 students in Speech & Language Therapy Programs, as well as those in 502.4 and more restrictive prototypes.)

The Special Education Department continued to take advantage of the federal government's special education law, P.O. 94-142, by obtaining federal grant monies in an ongoing effort to upgrade and supplement the level of services to special needs students. Our 1979-1980 grant totals $100,450. With this money, the School Department has hired 2 additional speech pathologists, a part-time communication assistant, 2 learning disabilities teachers (1 for the high school and 1 for the elementary level), as well as additional contracted services of a licensed consulting psychologist and a school psychologist. With this additional staff, the Special Education Department has been able to reduce caseloads and is further able to provide more intensive ancillary services to special needs students.

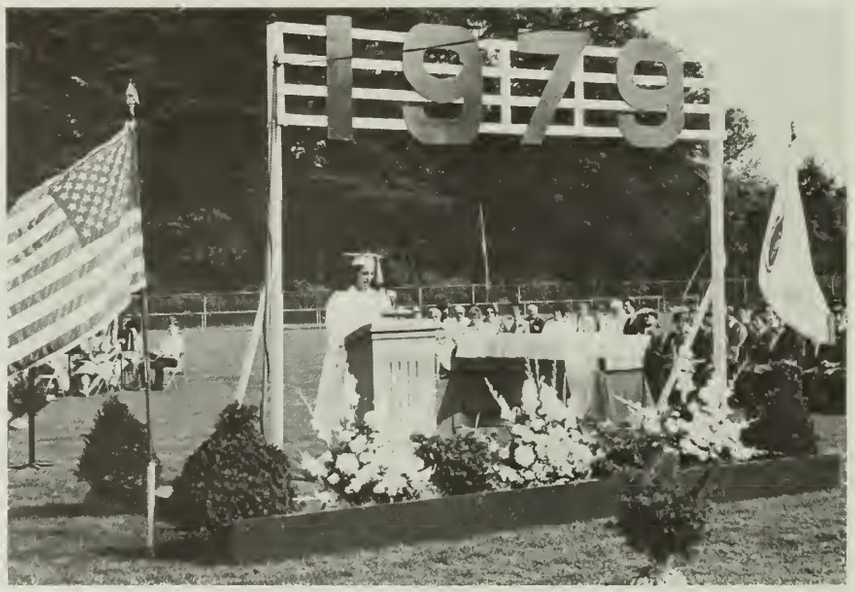
Wilmington's entitlement under P.L. 94-142 should increase for the 1980-1981 school year. Estimated entitlements total approximately $115,000, and the Special Education Department has already written a federal grant proposal in an effort to obtain these monies.

During this past school year a systemwide special needs parent advisory council has been formed and is workin closely with the special education director and staff.

STATUS OF THE CLASS OF 1979

To four year non-state colleges and universities	58	(21.9%)
To four year state colleges and universities	44	(16.6%)
To two year non-state colleges	10	(3.8%)
To two year state colleges	19	(7.2%)
To other post high school education	6	(2.3%)
Total to further education	137	(51.8%)
To working forces	112	(42.5%)
To military service	8	(3.0%)
To marriage	2	(0.8%)
To marriage and work	5	(1.9%)
Did not respond to survey	0	(0.0%)
TOTAL	264	(100.0%)

In conclusion, I would like to take this opportunity to extend my appreciation to the School Committee, administrators, teachers, parents and students who contributed their efforts to the Wilmington Public Schools during the 1979 school year. A special note of thanks also is extended to Dr. Derek R. Little for filling in for me during my recent absence and also to the many town departments that cooperated with the school system during 1979.



Class of 1979 Graduation

Elected representatives of the School Committee are:

BEDFORD
Anthony Mazzone
Joseph Rogers, Vice Chairman

BILLERICA
Kenneth L. Buffum, Secretary-Treasurer
Paul Heffernan

WILMINGTON
Lawrence Flaherty
Frank McLean

BURLINGTON
John G. Murphy
John P. Miller

TEWKSBURY
Richard E. Griffin, Chairman
Wilson E. Brazile

To Residents of Billerica, Bedford, Burlington, Tewksbury and Wilmington:

It has been my pleasure to serve as Chairman of the Shawsheen Valley Regional School Committee again in 1979. During this period of time, there have been many issues facing this committee. The committee through me would like to relate these to you, the residents and taxpayers of the five town district.

With the Phase II expansion, the total enrollment in the day program has achieved its full potential. In 1979, the committee was able to reduce tax assessments to the five towns due to the fact that we held to "no new positions", and balanced the 7 1/2% increase in the teachers' contract. With the loss of the initial bond payment on Phase I construction, an increase in state aid to this vocational school was put to budget reduction.

Our original budget did not exceed the tax cap. However, during this fiscal year some emergency situations of a financial nature required attention. These specifically were the extensive roof repairs required on the original Phase I portion of the building, the retubing of the boilers, and the inability of the bus contractor to complete his five year contract.

The necessary roof repairs to protect the contents of the building was bid. Since no monies were provided for this emergency within the 1979-80 budget, the committee decided to utilize a portion of approximately $409,000 in additional unanticipated receipts from state reimbursements. This was done to avoid five special town meetings which would be costly. It was also done publicly with notification of each town through its selectmen, school committee and finance committee. The energy saving repairs to the boilers was also bid and awarded for approximately $15,000. Finally, Fiore Bus Service declared in August 1979, its inability to fulfill the cost per bus originally bid on a five year basis. After an agreement for a temporary increase through December 31, 1979 to Fiore Bus Service, the committee opted to rebid all bus transportation. Dissatisfied with the initial bids as presented, the majority of the committee voted to rebid the transportation on only a two and one-half year basis with some discount procedures in the specifications. Based upon these discount procedures, the SVT Bus Service, Inc. was voted to take over the busing on January 2, 1980. A temporary restraining order granted to Fiore Bus Service by the court led to a delay in signing this contract and some additional legal costs for the regional school committee. The additional increased cost of $172,000 for transportation was not figured in our 1979-80 fiscal budget and, therefore, also had to be taken from the previously announced surplus. With these emergency expenditures, the school committee has exceeded the 4% cap. Our original budget was within the tax cap prior to these emergencies.

As the committee currently works on its budget for the 1980-81 fiscal year, it has become more difficult to anticipate and control expenditures within a possible proposed tax cap.

Rising inflationary costs in all areas, particularly as it relates to energy, defeat most attempts to control costs. Collective bargaining with five contracts reopening during the next fiscal year poses a dilemma for the committee. We must be fair and reasonable to our employees and also very sensitive to the increased salary

costs. The increased busing and fuel costs for transportation will also inflate our budgets over the next years. State aid now in the save harmless status should remain stable over this period. Decreased bonding costs for school construction loans will not be felt again for another year. In early January 1980, the sc vent financial picture of the past year does not appear on the horizon in the very near future. This forec does concern the committee and efforts in cutting expenditures and saving money have been made. However, w as a committee, have the major responsibility of the sound educational programs of this facility. This cos money. We look for the continued support of citizens and taxpayers in this pursuit of excellent vocational skill training and we are grateful for your past contributions to the excellent growth of this school. Responsible, trained and skilled additions to this area's work force--the recent graduates of this school--ar also grateful for this start on a career given by you, the residents of the five town district. Thank you to all of you.

In addition, as Chairman, I would be remiss if I did not acknowledge the continuing interest and work of al committee members in achieving progress. These efforts should lead the school well into the 80's.

I am pleased with the confidence and support of the committee during some trying issues. Committee members do not always agree, but with forbearance and patience toward one another, friendships and respect have gro

Shawsheen Tech Students

1979 was a busy year for all individuals associated with Shawsheen Tech. We have been interested in energy conservation, new developments in industry, and innovative programs. Although some of the towns in the region have been concerned with dropping enrollment, in September approximately 865 students applied for 400 places available. A significant factor in the make up of our student population indicates parents and students are concerned with the high cost of a college education. Students interested in going into a field of engineering look to Shawsheen to develop their skills, to provide a means of income to pay for part of their college education.

The constant concern with energy conservation has resulted in a number of measures being taken to cut down on the use of fuel and lights. In the latter part of this year we repaired a large part of our roof with a special application of insulation and waterproof material which we expect will reflect considerable savings in fuel. We are constantly on the alert to make sure that lights and equipment are turned off when not in use.

Participation in the cafeteria lunch program is 99%. We understand this is the highest record in the state.

In keeping up with new developments in industry, members of the staff attended the annual convention of the American Vocational Association. They met with representatives of other schools and saw some of the newest developments in the field of vocational education. Staff members and I visited the following vocational schools: Tri County, Franklin; Minuteman, Lexington; and North Shore, Beverly. Some ideas seen on visiting these schools have been incorporated in our building.

Graduation/Placement

On June 10, the Class of 1979 graduated 353 seniors with placement as follows:

Employed in field	262
Further education	46
Armed Services	10
Employed in other fields	14
Process of securing employment	5
Not placed/special circumstances	16

Graduates were placed in a total of 123 companies including; Souza's Auto Body, Dracut; Fred F. Cain, Wilmington; Sweetheart Plastics, Wilmington; Digital, Tewksbury; BASF, Bedford; Medford Woodworkers Co., Medford; Howell & Sons Builders, Wilmington; Microwave Associates, Burlington; Touch of Class, Billerica; Sheraton, Lexington; Branding Iron, Tewksbury; Hanscom Air Force Base, Bedford; MIT Lincoln Labs, Lexington; Glenview Engine & Iron Works, Dracut; Compugraphic, Wilmington; Interstate Electric, Burlington; Geartronics, Billerica; BTU Engineering, Billerica; RCA, Burlington; Computervision, Burlington; W.E. Andrews, Co., Bedford; Choate Hospital, Woburn; Design & Process Engineering, Billerica; High Voltage, Burlington.

In accordance with state regulations the placement office continues a one year and five year follow-up study of graduates. We now have information on students who graduated in 1974 and 1978. A sample of the information received for 1974 graduates include draftsman $215 week, carpentry foreman $11.75 hour; electronic technician $20,000 year, machine shop owner $400 week; electronic draftsman $4.75 hour; autobody foreman $200 week; commercial artist $6.50 hour. Positions held by the graduates of 1978 include diesel burner mechanic $5.25 hour; detail drafter $8 hour; carpenter $5 hour; assistant lab supervisor $6.50 hour; machinist $8 hour; systems technician $5.95 hour.

Members of the School Committee and I attended various town meetings to give residents an opportunity to hear

about Shawsheen and ask questions.

Admissions

The number of applicants applying to Shawsheen continues to be in excess of 800 students. This figure had held for the past five years since the opening of the Phase II addition. Due to continued, strong demand for vocational education within the district, programs are constantly developed in the cooperating school systems to provide vocational education for students who are unable to have this need met in the full time or afternoon program at Shawsheen.

Enrollment figures as of October 1, 1979, were as follows:

TOWN	9th	10th	11th	12th	TOTAL
Bedford	38	29	22	21	110
Billerica	130	131	145	123	529
Burlington	64	54	58	57	233
Tewksbury	96	105	104	94	399
Wilmington	71	73	72	64	280
Totals	399	392	401	359	1551

Basic Skills

Planning for the Basic Skills program scheduled to go into effect throughout the state in the 1980-81 school year is under way. Plans must be approved between February and August of 1980. Shawsheen will be prepared to insure that all graduates of the school have reached a minimal level of competence. This will be done through a testing program and a method of remediation for those who need assistance in reaching this goal.

Special Needs

The special needs program in accordance with Chapter 766, serves 205 students. Teachers, specially skilled in this area supervise the mainstreaming of students into the curriculum as much as possible. With the assistance of federal funds, two programs were developed which include building maintenance and vocational aides. The purpose is to provide students with mild and moderate special needs appropriate vocational training.

Curriculum

New advances in curriculum and equipment included setting up a special section in the library for material in accordance with Chapter 622, designed to give women equal rights. The curriculum was modified to broaden the base in commercial art to include photography as a unit. New equipment included ten new word processors in Business Technology, giving us a total of fifteen stations making this particular area the most advanced in the state.

Student Activities

The annual Blood Donor program and Art Festival were held. Productive work included masonry work for the Billerica Department of Public Works and Billerica High School. Masonry, carpentry, metal fabrication and maintenance mechanics combined to build a new refreshment stand near our football field. In accordance with practice each year, students completed a house in Wilmington. The senior review and talent show was presented at the Marshall Middle School, Billerica. Automotive students placed #1 in the state in the Plymouth Trouble Shooting Contest. Awards were won at the Burlington Mall annual vocational show and Scholastic Art Contest. Sports awards included the Varsity Hockey Team winning the Commonwealth Championship with advancement to the state Division II semi-finals. The Girls Softball Team won the Commonwealth League position with a 17-2 record.

Summer Program

The summer school program was held again this year for a six week period during July and August, in line with

the objective of maximum utilization of our facility. Five towns combined to have make-up courses taken here at Shawsheen, while other students had an opportunity to develop skills in various vocational areas. 965 students attended the program.

Area Coordinator

The responsibility of the Area Coordinator is to develop and supervise skill training programs in the schools of the five towns that would complement those being offered at Shawsheen Tech. Included is Project SCORE, a vocational skill program for special needs students being trained in the industrial arts shops of the five towns. Secondly, the Electronics Assembly program develops skills in the electronic field whereby industrial art teachers are working with seniors in their own school in order to develop a saleable skill. John McDermott, the coordinator, reports that we now have over one hundred students placed in jobs in local industry as a result of these programs. During the spring, over 150 fifth and sixth grade students spend two days at Shawsheen Tech becoming familiar with specific shops of their choice. Project Update involves members of industrial companies in our area, from RCA, GE, Altron, visiting schools to improve preparation of our students for the world of work.

Advisory Committees

Craft Advisory Committee meetings were held in the spring and fall. These meetings were well attended by members of industry who met with shop teachers to discuss the present curriculum and how it could be updated to coincide with requirements of industry. On October 22, our administrative staff held an Advisory Committee meeting with the Superintendents of the five towns to discuss Shawsheen's operation and how we could work together to provide the skill training in which the students are interested.

Adult Education

Evening school continues to be a very popular operation with approximately fifty-two courses serving 3,000 adults each year. Programs operate weekly, Monday through Thursday, from 7-10 p.m. Courses are held for two semesters; from October to January and January to April. The primary purpose is to assist adults working in specific areas to better advancement, and other individuals who are interested in acquiring a new skill. Two programs are of special interest. The high school equivalency program offers adults an opportunity to study for the state equivalency exam. This is geared for individuals, who for various reasons, did not have an opportunity to get a high school diploma. The second program, Project Explore, is for individuals who do not have a job or are interested in finding where their ability lies. After a series of tests, adults are scheduled to four different shop areas to determine which area they would be suited, and acquire sufficient skill to get a job in that particular field.

Summary

The increasing need for properly trained graduates in both industry and business reflects the importance of the operation here at Shawsheen Tech. We continue to do everything possible to meet these needs not only by the programs at Shawsheen Tech, but also working together with the teachers of the five towns to assist students who are interested in acquiring a skill.

Shawsheen Tech On-site Construction Project

Town Meetings

WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING AND ELECTION - MARCH 3, 1979 and MARCH 10, 1979
WITH ACTION TAKEN THEREON

TO: EITHER OF THE CONSTABLES OF THE TOWN OF WILMINGTON:

GREETINGS: In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and in the manner prescribed in the By-Laws of said Town, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town qualified to vote in Town affairs to meet and assemble at the High School Gymnasium, Saturday, the Third of March, A.D. 1979 at 9:45 o'clock in the forenoon, the polls to be opened at 10:00 a.m. and shall be closed at 8:00 p.m. for the election of the Town offices:

ARTICLE 1. To bring in your votes on one ballot respectively for the following named offices, to wit: One Selectman for the term of three years; One Moderator for the term of one year; Two members of the School Committee for the term of three years; One member of the School Committee for two years (unexpired term); One member of the Redevelopment Authority for the term of five years; One member of the Regional Vocational Technical School Committee for the term of three years.

You are also hereby further required and directed to notify and warn the said inhabitants of the Town of Wilmington who are qualified to vote on elections and town affairs therein to assemble subsequently and meet in Town Meeting at the High School Gymnasium, Church Street in said Town of Wilmington, on Saturday the tenth day of March A.D., 1979 at 1:30 p.m., then and there to act on the following articles:

In accordance with the above Warrant, the meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. John M. Callan, at 9:45 a.m.,as much of the Warrant as is noted above was read and upon a motion by Mr. Stanley Webber, it was seconded and it was voted to dispense with further reading of said Warrant.

All voting machines were opened and the zero sheets were posted so that the candidates could examine them before the polls were opened. The checkers were prepared with their voting lists and Voter Identification cards and everything was in readiness at 10:00 a.m.

The polls were declared open at 10:00 a.m. by the Town Clerk, Priscilla R. Ward.

At 8:00 p.m. the polls were declared closed and the printer packs were removed from the back of the voting machines and one copy was given to the tally clerks,one was posted outside the railing so that each candidate could add up his own totals at once. There were (23) twenty-three absentee ballots cast which were added to the machine totals.

The Town Clerk read the results of this election at 9:00 p.m.

All the totals from the twenty-five voting machines plus the absentee ballots were for the following:

SELECTMEN - Three years (Vote for one)		
Elected	Robert J. Cain, 39 Arlene Avenue	1162
	Daniel Wandell, 91 Shawsheen Avenue	1086
	Blanks	12
		2260
MODERATOR - One year (Vote for one)		
Elected	John M. Callan, 571 Woburn Street	1635
	Blanks	625
		2260

SCHOOL COMMITTEE - Two years (unexpired term) (Vote for one)		
Elected	Philip A. Fenton, Sr., 69 Butters Row	1491
	Blanks	769
		2260
SCHOOL COMMITTEE - Three years (Vote for not more than two)		
Elected	James A. Demos, 40 Hopkins Street	1216
Elected	Linda T. McMenimen, 14 Grace Drive	1382
	Arthur W. Ryder, 17 Main Street	750
	Blanks	1172
		4520
WILMINGTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY - Five years (Vote for one)		
Elected	Carl A. Backman, Jr., 2 Faulkner Avenue	1678
	Blanks	582
		2260
REGIONAL VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE - Three years (Vote for one)		
Elected	Frank H. McLean, 5 Temple Street	1292
	Sidney R. Kaizer, 5 Cottage Street	656
	Blanks	312
		2260

All elected officials present were immediately sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the Town Clerk. Mr. John Callan was sworn in on the following Tuesday at the Town Hall.

There were Two thousand two hundred and sixty (2260) votes cast.

Attest:

Priscilla R. Ward
Town Clerk, Wilmington

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING - MARCH 10, 1979
WITH ACTION TAKEN THEREON

The Moderator, John M. Callan, asked for a count of all present. The checkers informed him that only fifty-one (51) were in attendance. Mr. Callan asked Mrs. Joyce Brisbois to explain why the Finance Committee had not made their recommendations. She read the letter to the taxpayers that the Finance Committee had prepared on February 23, 1979. The letter is as follows:

"The Finance Committee has held numerous meetings on the fiscal '80 Town Budget as well as the capital outlay portion of the budget. We have also held the required public hearing on all of the articles in the warrant.

The Governor, as you know, has introduced House Bill #5603 into the legislative process. This bill, if enacted, would provide local spending caps and any action taken by the Finance Committee would have no effect on the Town Budget if this bill becomes law.

In light of the above pending legislation, the Finance Committee is unable to provide the taxpayers its recommendations on the warrant articles and, therefore, in compliance with Chapter 4, Section 4 and 5 of the revised By-Laws of the Town of Wilmington, we wish to notify the Town that no report will be made until such time as there is a resolution to the tax and spending limitation plan being proposed by the Governor, Edward J. King, or similar legislation approved or adopted by the General Court."

s/ Joyce Brisbois, Chairman
Wilmington Finance Committee

After reading the above, Joyce Brisbois recommended that a motion be made to adjourn the Town Meeting until May 5, 1979. Mr. Belbin questioned the late date and was answered by Aldo Caira about legislation procedures and time involved. After which Mr. Caira read the motion, "Because of lack of a quorum, I move that the Town vote to adjourn this meeting to May 5, 1979 at 1:30 p.m. at the High School Gymnasium." The motion was seconded and so voted by all present.

The meeting adjourned at 1:42 p.m. with a final count of fifty-nine (59) people present.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING (continued)

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Wilmington, pursuant to authority granted by Chapter 22 of the Acts of 1979, have voted to continue the adjourned Annual Town Meeting, previously adjourned to May 5, 1979 at 1:30 p.m. at the High School Gymnasium, to May 19, 1979 at 1:30 p.m. to be held at the High School Gymnasium for the purpose of transacting business of the Annual Town Meeting pursuant to the warrant dated February 16, 1979.

Attest: s/ Aldo A. Caira, Chairman
Board of Selectmen

The above was advertised in the Town Crier, April 11, 1979.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING ADJOURNED AND CONTINUED

TO THE VOTERS OF WILMINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS:

The Annual Town Meeting adjourned to May 5, 1979 at 1:30 p.m. in the High School Gymnasium for the purpose of transacting business of the warrant posted February 16, 1979 will be continued to May 19, 1979 at 1:30 p.m in the High School Gymnasium. In accordance with Chapter 22, Acts of 1979.

Attest: s/ Priscilla R. Ward
Town Clerk, Wilmington

On May 5, 1979 at 1:30 p.m. Moderator, John M. Callan; Selectmen, Rocco V. DePasquale and A. John Imbimbo; Town Counsel, Alan Altman; Finance Committeeman, Walter Kaminski; Checkers, Dorothy Peters and Kathleen Scanlon; Police Officer Arthur V. Lynch and the Town Clerk met at the High School Gymnasium to continue the Adjourned Town Meeting of March 10, 1979. This meeting and its continuance was properly posted by Constable Lynch on April 11, 1979. No others being present the Town Clerk made the motion to continue the meeting until May 19, 1979 at 1:30 p.m. at the High School Gymnasium, the motion was seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 1:35 p.m.

Attest: Priscilla R. Ward
Town Clerk, Wilmington

ADJOURNED AND CONTINUED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING - MAY 19, 1979
WITH ACTION TAKEN THEREON

On May 19, 1979 at 1:30 p.m. the High School Gymnasium was opened for the third time, for the purpose of holding the Annual Town Meeting, all past gatherings were posted in accordance with the General Laws.

With a quorum present the Moderator asked for the voters to take their seats for the action of the Town Meeting business.

The Girl Scouts led the people in a Flag Ceremony and pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. In the absence of Clergy, the Moderator lead the voters in prayer before opening the meeting at 1:45 p.m.

With quorum present the Moderator explained to those in attendance about the two meetings scheduled for the same day and time. He asked that the Special Town Meeting be opened and that he would entertain a motion to adjourn until after the budget in the Annual Town Meeting.

Mr. Callan began reading the Warrant of the Special Town Meeting and was interrupted by Aldo Caira that he dispense with further reading of same. The motion was seconded and so voted. Mr. Caira then moved that we adjourn the Special Town Meeting until after Article 6. Mr. J. Tsicoulias moved that we adjourn until after Article 17 of the Annual Town Meeting. Mr. Doyle moved that we adjourn until 7:30 p.m. They were voted in order of latest time. Mr. Tsicoulias' motion came first and was so voted.

The Moderator then adjourned the Special Town Meeting to be called to order after Article 17 of the Annual Town Meeting.

Mr. Callan commenced the reading of the Warrant of the Annual Town Meeting at 2:00 p.m. Mr. Caira of the Board of Selectmen moved that the Moderator dispense with further reading of the Warrant and take up and

make reference to each article by number. Seconded and so voted.

ARTICLE 2. To hear reports of Committees and act thereon. Mr. Morris, "I move that we pass over Article 2." Motion seconded and so voted.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of paying unpaid bills of previous years, or do anything in relation thereto. Mr. Morris, "I move that we pass over this article." Motion seconded and so voted.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1979 in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any notes therefor payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17, or do anything in relation thereto. Finance Committee recommended approval. Motion by Mr. Morris, "I move that the Town vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1979 in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17." Motion seconded and voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 5. To see how much money the Town will appropriate for the expenses of the Town and salaries of several Town Officers and Departments and determine how the same shall be raised, whether by taxation, transfer from available funds, or otherwise; or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Joyce Brisbois, Chairman of the Finance Committee, "I move that the several and respective sums as recommended by the Finance Committee be raised by taxation or by transfer from available funds and appropriated for the purpose set forth in Article five subject to amendment." Motion so voted.

ACCORDINGLY THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS WERE VOTED BY TAXATION OR TRANSFER:
Before the voting started the Moderator, Mr. John Callan spoke to the voters about the Governor 's Tax Cap and asked for a unanimous or 2/3rds vote on each line as voted. Each line was so voted unless otherwise noted.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Selectmen - Legislative		
Salaries	$	2,500.00
Expenses		6,250.00
		8,750.00
Selectmen - Elections		
Salaries		14,000.00
Expenses		9,200.00
(This line item was moved to be cut to $8,000.00 . Motion lost.)		23,200.00
Registrar of Voters		
Salaries		2,000.00
Expenses		8,200.00
		10,200.00
Finance Committee		
Salary		700.00
Expenses		4,240.00
		4,940.00
Town Manager		
Salary-Town Manager		34,338.00
(This line item was moved to be cut back to $25,000.00 . Motion lost. Original Motion so voted with majority vote.)		
Other Salaries		33,271.00
(This line item was moved to be cut back to $15,715.19. Motion lost and was reconsidered and Motion lost again.)		
Expenses		1,150.00
	$	68,759.00

Town Accountant		
Salaries - Town Account	$	21,877.00
Other Salaries		13,567.00
Capitol Outlay		---
Expenses		750.00
		36,194.00
Treasurer		
Salary - Treasurer		15,947.00
Other Salaries		13,105.00
Expenses		1,550.00
Tax Title Foreclosures (Original Motion so voted with majority vote)		12,000.00
		42,602.00
Collector		
Salary-Collector		16,849.00
Other Salaries		13,105.00
Expenses		4,760.00
		34,714.00
Town Clerk		
Salary-Town Clerk		14,564.00
Other Salaries		12,378.00
Expenses		650.00
		27,592.00
Board of Assessors		
Salary-Principal Assessor		26,291.00
Other Salaries		21,720.00
Expenses		3,200.00
Capital Outlay		---
		51,211.00
Town Counsel		
Salary(Retainer)		15,000.00
Expenses (Court Appearances)		9,000.00
		24,000.00
Town Hall		
Salaries		22,256.00
Expenses		21,675.00
Capital Outlay		---
		43,931.00
Planning Board		
Salary.		3,500.00
Expenses		12,150.00
Capital Outlay		---
		15,650.00
TOTAL GENERAL GOVERNMENT.		391,743.00
PROTECTION PERSONS & PROPERTY		
Police Department		
Salary - Chief		25,000.00
Lieutenant		21,000.00
Sergeants.		112,729.00
Patrolmen.		126,630.00
(Motion by Joyce Brisbois: "I move that the sum of $406,630 be appropriated for Police Department Salaries - Patrolmen; the sum of $280,000 to be raised by transfer from the Revenue Sharing Account, and the balance of $126,630 to be raised by taxation." Motion so voted.)		
Traffic Supervisors		0

Police Department (continued)
(Motion by Aldo Caira: "I move to amend the line item Traffic Supervisors in the category of Protection Person & Property, by adding the sum of $30,197. Motion lost. Vote No 307 Yes 109.)

Clerks	$ 23,454.00

(Motion by James Miceli: "I move that we amend Protection Persons & Property line item Clerks from $23,454 to $34,454 " Mrs. Dec then made a motion to eliminate the second Clerk making only one. No vote on this motion. Mr. Miceli's motion lost. Original amount so voted with majority vote.

Vacation Pay - Fill-in Cost	45,000.00
Sick Leave Pay - Fill-in Cost	30,000.00
Miscellaneous Extra Details	35,000.00
Paid Holidays	27,300.00
Police Dog	800.00
Specialists	4,650.00
Night Shift Differential	8,500.00
Expenses	42,325.00
Capital Outlay	0
	502,388.00

Constable

Salaries	100.00

Fire Department

Salary - Chief	34,698.00
Deputy Chief	23,315.00
Lieutenants	75,684.00
Privates	155,364.00

(Motion by Joyce Brisbois: "I move that the sum of $435,364 be appropriated for Fire Department Salaries - Privates; and that the sum of $280,000 be raised by transfer from the Revenue Sharing Account and the balance of $155,364 to be raised by taxation." Second Motion by John Brown: "I move to amend the line item Protection Persons & Property - Salaries - Privates, from 435,364 to $445,364 " Motion lost. This motion was moved for reconsideration at 6:20 p.m. before adjournment. Motion lost again. Original motion so voted.)

Call Fire and Ambulance	18,000.00
Vacations - Fill-in Cost	30,000.00
Sick Leave - Fill-in Cost	14,000.00
Paid Holidays	24,037.00
Expenses	16,120.00
Capital Outlay	7,250.00
	398,468.00

Civil Defense

Salary	1,500.00
Expenses	0
Capital Outlay	0
	1,500.00

Dog Officer

Salary	4,700.00
Expenses	3,000.00
Capital Outlay	0
	7,700.00

Building Inspector

Salary - Building Inspector	19,279.00
Other Salaries	12,662.00
Expenses	1,725.00
Capital Outlay	0
	33,666.00

Board of Appeals	
Salary	$ 2,000.00
Expenses	260.00
Capital Outlay	0
	2,260.00
Sealer of Weights & Measures	
Salary	1,500.00
Expenses	50.00
	1,550.00
TOTAL PROTECTION PERSONS & PROPERTY	947,632.00
PUBLIC WORKS	
Town Engineer	
Salary - Town Engineer	26,723.00
Other Salaries	58,268.00
Expenses	2,100.00
	87,091.00
Highway	
Salary - Superintendent	24,937.00
Other Salaries	243,651.00
Expenses	149,350.00
Capital Outlay	0
Drainage Projects	25,000.00
Sidewalk Program	0
Public Street Lights (Original motion so voted with majority vote)	108,000.00
Road Machinery - Expenses	50,000.00
Capital Outlay	0
Chapter 90 Construction	0
(Motion by Joyce Brisbois: "I move that the sum of $43,232 be appropriated for Chapter 90 Construction; $43,232 to be raised by transfer from the Chapter 356, Acts of 1977 Account, with the balance of zero to be raised by taxation." Motion so voted.)	
Chapter 90 Maintenance	9,000.00
(Motion made to increase "Other Salaries" from $243,651 to $262,151 Motion lost.)	609,938.00
Chapter 81 Maintenance	50,000.00
Snow & Ice Control	
Salaries	81,099.00
Expenses	102,000.00
Capital Outlay	0
	183,099.00
Tree Warden	
Salaries	29,413.00
Expenses	4,600.00
Capital Outlay	0
Dutch Elm Control	
Salaries	21,903.00
Expenses	2,500.00
Gypsy Moth Control	
Salaries	16,105.00
Expenses	2,500.00
	77,021.00
Cemetery	
Salary - Superintendent	17,940.00
Other Salaries	60,773.00
Expenses	5,447.00
(Motion by Joyce Brisbois: "I move the sum of $15,300 be appropriated for the Cemetery Expenses Account, $9,853 to be raised by transfer from the Sale of Cemetery lots Acct. and balance of $5,447 to be raised by taxation." Motion so voted.)	

Cemetery (continued)		
Capital Outlay	$	0
		84,160.00
Parks		
Salaries		5,000.00
Expenses		1,000.00
Capital Outlay		0
		6,000.00
TOTAL PUBLIC WORKS		1,097,309.00
HEALTH & SANITATION		
Board of Health		
Salary - Director		22,774.00
Other Salaries		49,188.00
Expenses		2,050.00
Hospital & Medical Care		850.00
Solid Waste Disposal		190,000.00
Drug Dependency Problems.		13,500.00
Mental Health Out-Patient		17,000.00
TOTAL HEALTH & SANITATION		295,362.00
VETERANS' AID		
Veterans' Aid & Benefits		
Salary - Part-Time Agent.		2,915.00
Other Salaries		10,557.00
Expenses		325.00
Assistance - Veterans.		20,000.00
TOTAL VETERANS' AID		33,797.00
MAINTENANCE OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS		
School Maintenance & Operations		
Salary - Superintendent		22,147.00
Salaries - Other		691,871.00
Expenses		156,500.00
Fuel Heating.		336,000.00
Roof Repairs.		30,000.00
(Motion by Sterling Morris: "I move that the Town vote to amend the line item, Roof Repairs, to read $30,000 in the School Maintenance & Operations Account. Motion so voted.)		
Cost of Vandalism		18,000.00
Capital Outlay		5,520.00
		1,260,038.00
School Grounds Maintenance		
Expenses		9,800.00
Capital Outlay		500.00
		10,300.00
Town Building Maintenance		
Expenses		86,500.00
Capital Outlay		0
		86,500.00
TOTAL MAINTENANCE OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS		1,356,838.00
LIBRARY		
Salary - Director		21,520.00
Salaries - Others		125,984.00
Expenses		55,331.00

Library (continued)
(Motion by Joyce Brisbois: "I move that the sum of $61,745 be appropriated for the Library Account; $6,414 to be raised by transfer from the State Aid to Public Libraries Account and the balance of $55,331 to be raised by taxation." So voted.)

Capital Outlay	$	1,575.00
		204,410.00

RECREATION

Salary - Director	20,744.0
Other Salaries	78,595.0
Expenses	26,740.0
TOTAL RECREATION	126,079.0

BEAUTIFICATION

Expenses	(
Capital Outlay	(

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Personal Services	500.0
Expenses	700.0
Capital Outlay	(
Harnden Tavern	(
	1,200.0

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Personal Servies	2,200.0
Expenses	1,585.0
	3,785.0

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT
(Motion by Lester White of the School Committee: "I move that it be and hereby is the determination of the School Committee that the sum of $7,973,675 is the amount necessary for the support and operation of the public school in the Town of Wilmington for the 1979-1980 fiscal year, and that the budget for 1979-80 be reduced by the estimated remaining unspent funds in the federal accounts under public laws 864 and 874 in the amount of $50,000.00 leaving an amount of $7,923,675 to be raised by taxation." Motion so voted. A second motion by George Boylen was heard to lower the tax cap. This motion was not voted on because it was for a lesser amount.) (Original motion so voted with majority vote.) 7,923,675.00

Vocational Training	8,950.00
Regional Vocational School District	564,119.00
TOTAL SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	8,496,744.00

(Before the final closing of the School Department Budget, Mr. Brooks asked that the Towns people be informed that the Wilmington Rotary Club has presented the Wilmington Public School System with a Universal Senturion Machine-Athletic-16 Stations, and he wanted to go on record thanking them in behalf of the school system. Mr. Callan made a motion that the voters of the Town recorgnize this fact and give a unanimous vote thanking the Rotary Club. The response was unanimously in favor.)

COUNCIL ON AGING

Personal Services	16,500.00
Expenses (So voted as amended).	31,927.00

(Motion by Sterling Morris: "I move that the Town vote to amend the line item expenses in the Council on Aging Account to read $31,927 from 27,627.")

Capital Outlay	0
	48,427.00

MATURING DEBT & INTEREST

Schools	370,387.00
General Government.	91,581.00

Maturing Debt & Interest (continued)	
Water	0
(Motion by Joyce Brisbois; "I move that the sum of $197,000 be appropriated for Maturing Debt and Interest - Water; $197,000 to be raised by transfer from Water Available Surplus, with a balance of zero to be raised by taxation." Motion so voted.)	
Sewer	231,040.00
Authentication Fees & Misc. Debt	50,000.00
TOTAL MATURING DEBT & INTEREST	743,008.00
UNCLASSIFIED AND RESERVE	
Insurance & Bonds	229,621.00
Reserve Fund	50,000.00
Blue Cross - Blue Shield & Group Life	58,209.00
(Motion by Joyce Brisbois; "I move that the sum of $475,000 be appropriated for Blue Cross-Blue Shield & Group Life; $416,791 to be raised by transfer from Free Cash and the balance of $58,209 to be raised by taxation." Motion so voted.)	
Location Transportation	5,615.00
Town Report	3,000.00
Sewer Maintenance	4,000.00
250th Year Anniversary Committee	0
Appraisals - E.D.P. & Inventories	7,500.00
Training & Conference-In State	0
Training & Conference-Out of State.	0
Veteran's Retirement	42,000.00
Employee s Retirement (Unused Sick Leave)	20,000.00
Incentive Pay-Police	19,500.00
Incentive Pay-Fire & E.M.T.	17,400.00
1980 Salary Adjustment & Additional Costs	195,000.00
Additional Employees	0
Unemployment Payments - Town & School.	50,000.00
TOTAL UNCLASSIFIED & RESERVE	701,845.00

(At the completion of the Budget a motion was made by the Town Manager, Sterling Morris; "I move that the Town vote to approve the Fiscal 1980 Budget, tax appropriations, use of available funds and tax levy, except the Fiscal 1980 Budget of the School Committee, and to exceed the tax cap and tax cap legislation as provided in the Tax Cap Bill,House #5959." A standing vote was taken. Motion voted by more than a 2/3rds vote. YES 253 NO 25.)

(Motion by Lester White; "I move that the Town vote to approve the Fiscal 1980 budget of the School Committee and to exceed the tax cap and tax cap legislation as provided in the Tax Cap Bill, House #5959." A standing vote was taken. Motion voted by more than a 2/3rds vote. YES 205 NO 75.)

With the completion of the budget and 2/3rds general vote on same, the Moderator asked that someone move to adjourn. Mr. Morris so moved and it was seconded by Aldo Caira. So voted. The meeting recessed for dinner at 6:40 P.M. and was to reconvene at 8:00 P.M.

Total Budget by Taxation	$14,448,179.00
Articles by Taxation	126,044.00
Total Budget by Transfers	673,290.00
Revenue Sharing Account	560,000.00
Bond Issue	95,550.00

The recessed Annual Town Meeting reconvened at 8:15 P.M. with a quorum being present.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of the several following items of capital expenditures and further to authorize the sale or turn-in, if any, of the several items listed below, and for the use of the several departments so designated; or do anything in relation thereto.

Article 6 (continued)

Motion by Mr. Morris : "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate designated sums for the purchase of the several items of capital expenditures and to authorize the sale or turn-in of the several items so designated, each item to be voted on separately." Motion seconded and so voted.

a. Police Department

1. To purchase four Police vehicles.

Motion: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of $26,000. for the purchase of four Police vehicles, and at the discretion of the Town Manager authorize the sale or turn-in of vehicles presently used by the Police Department." Finance Committee approved $26,000. Motion so voted. YES 305 NO 34.

b. Fire Department

1. To purchase a vehicle to be used by Chief.

Motion: "I move that we pass over this article and take no action thereon." Finance Committee recommend disapproval. Motion so voted to pass over.

2. To purchase 10-circuit Fire Alarm Switchboard.

Motion: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of $15,000. for the purchase of a 10-circuit Fire Alarm Switchboard for the use of the Fire Department." Finance Committee approved $15,000. Motion seconded and so voted unanimously.

c. Highway Department

1. To purchase one dump truck with coverall assembly.

Motion: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of $24,675. for the purchase of a dump truck with coverall assembly for the use of the Highway Department, and at the discretion of the Town Manager authorize the sale or turn-in of a dump truck presently used by the Highway Department." Finance Committee approved $24,675. Motion seconded and so voted unanimously.

2. To purchase two pickup trucks.

Motion: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of $7,269. for the purchase of one(1) pickup truck for the use of the Highway Department, and at the discretion of the Town Manager authorize the sale or turn-in of one (1) pickup truck presently used by the Highway Department. Finance Committee approved $7,269 for one pickup truck. Motion so voted and seconded unanimously.

d. Public Buildings

1. To purchase a pickup truck.

Motion: "I move that we pass over this article and take no action thereon." Finance Committee recommend disapproval. Motion so voted and passed over.

2. New leaching bed for North Intermediate sewage disposal system

Motion: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of $47,700. to cover the cost of a new leaching bed for sewage disposal system at the North Intermediate School." Finance Committee recommends approval. Motion seconded and so voted. YES 334 NO 12. Passed by 2/3rds vote.

3. Irrigation system for High School football field.

Motion: "I move that we pass over this article and take no action thereon." Finance Committee recommend disapproval. Motion so voted and passed over.

4. Grade and sod High School football field.

Motion: "I move that we pass over this article and take no action thereon." Finance Committee recommend disapproval. Motion so voted and passed over.

5. Irrigation system for the North Intermediate soccer and baseball field.

Motion: "I move that we pass over this article and take no action thereon." Finance Committee recommend disapproval. Motion so voted and passed over.

6. Change baseball field to softball field.

Motion: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of $26,500. to improve the ballfields at Shawsheen School." Finance Committee recommends approval of $26,500. Motion voted and lost. NO 305 YES 54.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000. for the observance of Memorial Day and Veterans' Day, and that the Moderator appoint a committee who shall arrange and have charge of said observances, or do anything in relation thereto. Finance Committee recommends disapproval. Motion by Robert Cain: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of $3,000. for the observance of Memorial Day and Veteran's Day, and that the Moderator appoint a committee who shall arrange and have charge of said observances. Motion seconded and voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $750. each (or a total of $1,500) for the purpose of renewing under authority of Section 9 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended the lease of:

a. Veterans of Foreign Wars Clubhouse on Main Street for the purpose of providing suitable headquarters for the Nee-Ellsworth Post No. 2458 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States.

b. American Legion Clubhouse, Inc. in Wilmington for the purpose of providing suitable headquarters for the Wilmington Post No. 136 of the American Legion; or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by James Banda: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of $750. each (or a total of $1,500.) for the purpose of renewing under authority of Section 9 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended the lease of:

a. Veterans of Foreign Wars Clubhouse on Main Street for the purpose of providing suitable headquarters for the Nee-Ellsworth Post No. 2458 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States.

b. American Legion Clubhouse, Inc. in Wilmington for the purpose of providing suitable headquarters for the Wilmington Post No. 136 of the American Legion.

Finance Committee recommends disapproval. Motion seconded and so voted. YES 195 NO 103. Motion by James Banda for reconsideration of this motion. Motion passed by 2/3rds vote. YES 310 NO 57.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen or the Town Manager to apply for, accept, and enter into contracts from time to time for the expenditures of any funds, without further appropriations, allotted to Wilmington by the U.S. Federal Government under any federal grant program; or do anything in relation thereto. Motion by Sterling Morris same as above. Finance Committee recommends approval. Motion seconded and so voted by 2/3rds vote. YES 274 NO 39.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 44, Section 53C, which provides for a revolving fund to pay for off-duty work details for members of the Wilmington Police Department, I.B.P.O.; or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Sterling Morris: "I move that the Town vote to accept the provisions of the Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 44, Section 53C and to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of $5,000. to provide a revolving fund to pay for off-duty work details for the members of the Wilmington Police Department, I.B.P.O. Finance Committee recommends disapproval. Motion seconded and voted. Motion lost.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provision of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 90, Section 20C, which authorizes the Board of Selectmen to adopt regulations to establish a schedule of parking fines; or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Aldo Caira: "I move that the Town vote to accept the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 90, Section 20C, which authorizes the Board of Selectmen to adopt regulations to establish a schedule of parking fines. Finance Committee recommends approval. Motion seconded and so voted.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to accept as Town ways, the layouts of the following described streets, as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws (Chapter 82, as amended, relating to the Laying Out, Alteration, Relocation and Discontinuance of Public Ways and specific repairs thereon), which layouts are filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which, with plans therein, are hereby referred to for a more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope, drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article; and to determine how an appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation or by transfer from available funds, by borrowing, or otherwise for the purpose of construction of said ways and for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land, slope, drainage or other easements therefor; or do anything in relation thereto:

Article 12 (continued)

a. Freeport Drive, from Park Street to Lucaya Circle
b. Heather Drive, from Freeport Drive to North Reading Line
c. Lucaya Circle, from Heather Drive to Freeport Drive
d. Sparhawk Drive, from Park Street to Heather Drive
e. Gandalf Way, from Glen Road to Agostino Drive
f. Agostino Drive, from Gandalf Way
g. Clorinda Road, from Agostino Drive
h. North Washington Avenue, from Agostino Drive
i. Everett Avenue, from Faulkner Avenue to Cunningham Street

Motion by Rocco DePasquale: "I move that the Town vote to accept as Town Ways, the layouts of the following described streets, as approved by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws Chapter 82, as amended, relating to the Laying Out, Alteration, Relocation and Discontinuance of Public Ways and specific repairs thereon, which layouts are filed in the office of the Town Clerk and which, with plans therein are hereby referred to for a more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope, drainage or other easements as may b necessary to effect the purpose of this article; and vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of $900. for the purpose of construction of said ways and for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land, slope, drainage or other easements therefor:

a. Freeport Drive, from Park Street to Lucaya Circle
b. Heather Drive from Freeport Drive to North Reading Line
c. Lucaya Circle from Heather Drive to Freeport Drive
d. Sparhawk Drive from Park Street to Heather Drive
e. Gandalf Way, from Glen Road to Agostino Drive
f. Agostino Drive, from Gandalf Way
g. Clorinda Road, from Agostino Drive
h. North Washington Avenue, from Agostino Drive
i. Everett Avenue, from Faulkner to Cunningham Street

Motion seconded and so voted. Finance Committee recommends approval. Amount approved $900.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to accept as Town ways, the layouts of the following described streets, as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws (Chapter 80, as amended, relating to the Assessment of Betterments and Chapter 82, as amended, relating to the Laying Out, Alteration, Relocation and Discontinuance of Public Ways and specific repairs thereon) which layouts are filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which with plans therein are hereby referred to for a more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope, and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article, and to determine how an appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation or by transfer from available funds, by borrowing, or otherwise, for the purpose of construction of said ways and for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements and other easements therefor; or do anything in relation thereto:

a. Dexter Street, from Main Street 480 feet westerly
b. King Street Extension, from Glen Road 487 feet southerly
c. Reading Avenue, from Oakwood Road 215 feet easterly

Motion by A. John Imbimbo: "I move that the Town vote to accept as Town ways the layouts of the following described streets, as approved by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws (Chapter 80, as amended, relating to the Assessment of Betterments and Chapter 82, as amended relating to the Laying Out, Alteration, Relocation and Discontinuance of Public Ways and specific repairs thereon) which layouts are filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which, with plans therein, are hereby referred to for a more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slop and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article, and to vote to raise by Bond Issue the designated sum of each street for the purpose of construction and said ways and for payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements and other easements therefor;

a. Dexter Street, from Main Street 480 feet westerly - $39,100.
b. King Street Extenstion, from Glen Road 487 feet southerly - $35,300.
c. Reading Avenue, from Oakwood Road 215 feet easterly - $35,300.

Finance Committee recommends approval $95,500 by Bond Issue. Motion seconded and so voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, the layout of the following described street, as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws (Chapter 82, as amended, relating to the Laying Out, Alteration, Relocation and Discontinuance of Public Ways and specific repairs thereon), which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which, with plans therein, is hereby referred to for a more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope, drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article; and to determine how an appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation or by transfer from available funds, by borrowing, or otherwise for the purpose of laying out said way and for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land, slope, drainage or other easements therefor; or do anything in relation thereto:

a. Olson Street, from Church Street to Middlesex Avenue (E & W)

Motion by Rocco DePasquale: "I move that we pass over this article and take no action thereon. Motion so voted and passed over."

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Sections 16A through 16F, inclusive, of Chapter 83 of the General Laws as established by Chapter 586 of the Acts of 1977 and as most recently amended or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by George R. Allan: "I move that the Town vote to accept the provisions of Section 16A through 16F, inclusive, of Chapter 83 of the General Laws as established by Chapter 586 of the Acts of 1977 and as most recently amended." Finance Committee recommends approval. Motion seconded and so voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the Town of Wilmington by deleting Section III-1-B-5; or do anything in relation thereto:

Motion by William G. Hooper of the Planning Board: "I move that we pass over this article." Finance Committee recommends disapproval. Motion seconded and so voted to pass over.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the Town of Wilmington by adding to Section VI-2 the following:

In the event that fire or other disaster renders a single family dwelling uninhabitable,if so certified by the Building Inspector to be uninhabitable, the temporary use of a house trailer shall be permitted as a substitute dwelling for a period not to exceed nine (9) months; or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by William G. Hooper of the Planning Board: "I move that this article be passed over." Motion so voted and passed over.

At this point in the meeting, the Moderator adjourned the Annual Town Meeting and opened the Special Town Meeting. At 10:15 P.M., a quorum being present the Moderator reread the Warrant.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING - MAY 19, 1979

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Revised By-Laws of the Inhabitants of the Town of Wilmington by deleting Sections 1 and 3 from Chapter 2 and substituting therefor the following:

> "Section 1. The Annual Town Meeting for the election of Town Officers shall be held on the third Saturday in April of each year.
>
> "Section 3. All matters to be considered under the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting, except the election and determination of such matters as are required by law to be elected or determined by ballot, shall be considered at an adjournment of such meeting to be held at one-thirty P.M. on the fourth Saturday of April.";
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> or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by James F. Banda: "I move that the Town vote to amend the Revised By-Laws of the Inhabitants of the Town of Wilmington by deleting Sections 1 and 3 from Chapter 2 and substituting therefor the following:

Article 1 (continued)

"Section 1. The Annual Meeting for the election of Town Officers shall be held on the third Saturda in April of each year."

"Section 3. All matters to be considered under the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting, except the election and determination of such matters as are required by law to be elected or determined by ballot, shall be considered at an adjournment of such meeting to be held at one-thirty p.m. on the fourth Saturday of April."

Second Motion by Sterling Morris: "I move that the Revised By-Law be further amended by voting to add the following language at the end of Section 3 as follows:

"in the year for which the warrant is drawn. The Warrant for every annual Town Meeting shall contai a statement by which the meeting is adjourned to such time for such purpose." Motion so voted as amended. Motion voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to amend, in accordance with the Home Rule Procedures Act, Chapter 592 of the Acts of 1950, entitled "An Act Establishing a Town Manager Form of Government for the Town of Wilmington "by changing the date under Section 17, from the twentieth day of December to the seventh day of February. This amendment shall take effect 31 days after the election at which this charter amendment is approved; or do anything in relation thereto.

Letter from the Town Manager filed with the Town Clerk, April 30, 1979.

Mrs. Priscilla R. Ward
Town Clerk
Town Hall
Wilmington, MA 01887

Dear Mrs. Ward:

I wish to file with you the following statement in accordance with Section 10 of Chapter 43B of the General Laws:

I propose that Chapter 592 of the Acts of 1950, an Act Establishing a Town Manager Form of Government for the Town of Wilmington, be amended by changing the date under Section 17, from the twentieth day of December to the Seventh day of February.

Very truly yours,

s/ Sterling C. Morris
Town Manager

Motion by A. John Imbimbo: "I move that the Town vote to amend in accordance with the Home Rule Procedures Act, Chapter 592 of Acts of 1950, entitled "An Act Establishing a Town Manager Form of Government for the Town of Wilmington" by changing the date under Section 17, from the twentieth day of December to the seventh day of February." This amendment shall take effect 31 days after the election at which this charter amendment is approved. Motion seconded and so voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town of Wilmington Zoning By-Law, Section VIII-4C.4. by adding after the words "filing thereof." the following: "The applicant shall notify all abutters in writing not less than twenty-one (21) days prior to the public hearing on said special permit."; or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Jacqueline D. Allaman: "I move to amend the Town of Wilmington Zoning By-Law, Section VIII-4.C.4. by adding after the words "filing thereof." the following: "The Board of Appeals shall notify all persons required to be given notice, pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws 40A, Section 11, in writing, not less than twenty-one (21) days prior to the public hearing on said special permit." or do anything in relation thereto. Motion seconded and so voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town of Wilmington Zoning By-Law by deleting in its entirety Section III-4.A.13. which reads, "Research or testing laboratory, excluding the raising or keeping of animals.", or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Jacqueline D. Allaman, for the North Wilmington Betterment Association, "I move to amend the Town of Wilmington Zoning By-Law by deleting in its entirety Section III-4.A.13. which reads, "Research or testing laboratory, excluding the raising or keeping of animals." and inserting in Section III-4.B. the following:

> "Research or testing laboratory, excluding the raising or keeping of animals, in which the operations involved do not cause hazard or nuisance through danger of fire or explosion or through creation or emission of noise, vibration, dust, waste, heat, smoke, fumes, odor, glare or any other hazardous substance." or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion made and seconded. Motion lost for want of 2/3rds vote. Vote was Yes 166 and No 164.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town of Wilmington Zoning By-Law by deleting in its entirety Section III-4.B.4. which reads, "Indoor breeding laboratory for medical or scientific research."; or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Jacqueline D. Allaman, "I move that we pass over this article. Motion seconded and article passed over.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town of Wilmington Zoning By-Law by deleting in its entirety Section III-4.B.5. which reads, "Any other lawful business, storage, or manufacturing use in which the operations involved do not result in greater hazard or nuisance through danger of fire or explosion or through creation or emission of noise, vibration, dust, waste, heat, smoke, fumes, odor, or glare than the uses specifically listed as permitted in this by-law."; or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Jacqueline Allaman: "I move to amend the Town of Wilmington Zoning By-Law by deleting in its entirety Section III-4.B.5 which reads, "Any other lawful business, storage, or manufacturing use in which the operations involved do not result in greater hazard or nuisance through danger of fire or explosion or through creation or emission of noise, vibration, dust, waste, heat, smoke, fumes, odor, or glare than the uses specifically listed as permitted in this by-law."; or do anything in reltion thereto.

Motion seconded and voted upon. Motion lost for want of 2/3rds vote. Vote was Yes 141 No 158. This article reconsidered at 12:11 p.m. and again lost.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map of the Town of Wilmington by voting to re-zone from General Business District and Single Residential A District to Industrial District the following described parcel of land, to wit:

> Beginning on Concord Street, the land bounded on the north by Concord Street; on the west by Route I-93; on the South by the Ipswich River; and on the east by North Reading Town line; or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mr. Morris: "I move the Town of Wilmington amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map of the Town of Wilmington by voting to re-zone from General Business District and Single Residential A District to Industrial District the following described parcel of land, to wit:

> Beginning on Concord Street, the land bounded on the north by Concord Street; on the west by Route I-93; on the South by the Ipswich River; and on the east by the North Reading Town line.

Motion seconded and so voted. Motion lost Yes 6 and No 287.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to transfer to the Surplus Revenue Account 198 the balances in the following listed bond issue accounts and to petition the General Court to authorize said transfers notwithstanding the provisions of MGL Chapter 44, Section 20;

1110	Woburn Street School	3,339.19
1111	Woburn Street Addition	9,156.61
1115	Shawsheen Avenue School	43,938.14
1130	West Intermediate School	9,747.22
1140	Wilmington Memorial Library	40,410.41
		106,591.57

or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Robert Cain: "I move that the Town vote to transfer to the Surplus Revenue Account 198 the balanc in the following listed bond issue accounts and to petition the General Court to authorize said transfers notwithstanding the provisions of M.G.L. Chapter 44, Section 20." Account #1110 Woburn St. School $3,339.19 #1111 Woburn Street School Addition $9,156.61 #1115 Shawsheen Avenue School $43,938.14 #1130 West Intermediate School $9,747.22 #1140 Wilmington Memorial Library $40,410.41 a total of $106,591.57." Motion was seconded and so voted unanimously.

The Special Town Meeting adjourned at 12:13 P.M. Attendance at meeting was 658 voters present in the afternoon and 466 voters present at the evening session.

The Moderator made the motion that the Annual Town Meeting reconvene at 7:30 P.M. on Monday, May 21, 1979 in the High School Gymnasium. Motion so voted.

Special Town Meeting Transfer $106,591.57

Priscilla R. Ward
Attest: Town Clerk, Wilmington

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING ADJOURNED AND CONTINUED - MAY 21, 1979
WITH ACTION TAKEN THEREON

TO: THE VOTERS OF THE TOWN OF WILMINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS:

The Annual Town Meeting of March 10, 1979 held on May 19, 1979 at the High School Gymnasium will continue on May 21, 1979 at 7:30 P.M. at the High School Gymnasium for the purpose of transacting the business of the Warrant posted February 16, 1979. In accordance with Chapter 22, of the Acts of 1979.

Priscilla R. Ward
Attest: Town Clerk, Wilmington

On May 21, 1979 in the High School Gymnasium the above posted adjourned Annual Town Meeting reconvened at 7:45 P.M. a Quorum being present.

The Moderator asked the Town Clerk to make note that the adjourned Town Meeting had been properly posted. This was so noted.

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the Town of Wilmington to create Planned Residential Development Districts for the purposes of permitting and regulating the construction of Planned Residential Developments by adding a new section to the Wilmington Zoning By-Law as follows:

III-1.C PLANNED RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

1. GENERAL REQUIREMENT:
   The Planning Board may grant a special permit for improvements in a PRD, providing that requirements set forth hereinafter and review and approval of site development plans are completed.
2. INTENT AND PURPOSE:
   Planned Residential Development is an alternative pattern of land development to conventional subdivision, which allows development of a site as a single entity. It is intended to encourage creative land development, with a greater mixture and diversity of housing types and configurations

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within the town, as well as the preservation of open space. It also encourages:

a. More efficient use of land while protecting natural resources, such as groundwater, wetlands, wildlife and other significant ecological features.

b. More efficient utilization of municipal services.

c. Effective control of growth and assurance of development of the highest quality.

d. Enhancement of real property values for the long-range future.

3. LOCATION:

The PRD district shall be a separate zoning district with standards and regulations as herein setforth. The PRD district shall be designated on the Zoning Map upon approval of a Zoning Map amendment at Town Meeting.

4. DEFINITIONS:

a. PLANNED RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT (PRD) - A PRD shall mean the development of a site of land as a single entity in which residential single family attached Townhouse Condominiums are clustered at a greater net density, the remaining land set aside as common open space for the use and enjoyment by the residents of the PRD.

b. CONDOMINIUM - Individual Ownership of units combined with joint ownership of common areas of the building and common open space.

c. COMMON OPEN SPACE (COS) - A parcel or parcels of land within the site designated for a PRD, maintained and preserved for open spaces uses, intended for the use or enjoyment of the residents of the PRD, but not to include parking areas or ways, public or private, wetlands, flood plains and those portions of the site which have a slope greater than twenty (20) percent.

d. HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION - A non-profit corporation consisting of the owners of residential units within a site approved for Planned Residential Development, which holds the title to all common property and which is responsible for the costs and maintenance of said property.

e. APPLICANT - As defined in the Subdivision Control Law, Section 81L, Chapter 41 General Laws.

f. FAMILY - (1) One or more persons related by blood, adoption or marriage, living and cooking as a single housekeeping unit; or (2) not more than two persons unrelated by blood, adoption or marriage, living and cooking together as a single housekeeping unit.

g. FIRE PROTECTION AREA - The open space between a building in a Planned Residential Development and a line parallel to and twenty (20) feet equidistant from any such building, or structure, available for emergency access, within which no building or structure may be erected without written permission from the Chief of the Wilmington Fire Department. However, this shall not be construed to prohibit landscaping.

h. PRINCIPLE ACCESS DRIVEWAY: A service road or driveway, other than a public way or a way approved in accordance with the Sub-division Control Law, which provides the principle access for vehicles to the buildings in the PRD.

i. DWELLING UNIT - As defined in Section II-2 of the Town of Wilmington's Zoning By-Law.

5. BUILDABLE LAND DETERMINATION:

a. BUILDABLE LAND - The area of the site suitable for development shall be determined by the following formula;

(1) Nonbuildable land, as hereinafter defined, shall be first deducted from the site proposed for development.

(2) At a minimum, thirty-five (35) percent shall be set aside as Common Open Space for conservation and recreation purposes.

b. NON-BUILDABLE LAND - shall include:

(1) Wetlands as defined in Chapter 131 Section 40 of the General Laws of Massachusetts; a determination to be made by the Conservation Commission as to whether an area is a wetland in accordance with the procedures under the Wetlands Protection Act, Chapter 131 Section 30 Subsection 3, for "determination of applicability".

(2) Land located within a flood plain is defined in Section II-14 of the Zoning By-Law and as delineated on the Zoning Map.

(3) Those portions of the site which have a slope greater than twenty (20) percent.

FORMULA:

Site less non-buildable land less COS equals buildable land.

6. DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS:

a. MINIMUM SITE SIZE - The minimum site size for a PRD shall be fifteen (15) acres.

b. PERMISSIBLE DENSITY - The total number of dwelling units shall not exceed twice the permissible density allowed in a particular zoning district prior to the granting of the rezoning to PRD district except that the following density bonuses shall be allowed:

(1) Transferable Development Rights: The density of the site may be increased by conveying to the Town, or by restricting for the benefit of the Town, land which is not within the PRD site and which at the time of the submission of an application under this section was in private

ownership and unencumbered by a perpetual restriction of the type described in G.L. c.184 s.31 or any restriction thereto, provided that the Planning Board determines that such transfer or restriction is consonant with the purposes of this by-law and of sufficient benefit to the Town. The number of transferable units is obtained by determining the area of buildable and non-buildable land, and by (1) dividing each such area of land situated in any one or more zoning district(s) which the applican proposes to convey or restrict by the minimum lot size permitted in the zoning district(s) within which such land is located, and by (2) multiplying the number obtained therefrom by the appropriate following percentages:

(a) Fifty (50) percent if such conveyance is of the entire fee interest in the land none of which is non-buildable land; or

(b) Twenty (20) percent if such conveyance is of the entire fee interest in the land which is non-buildable land; or

(c) Thirty (30) percent if such conveyance is of a perpetual restriction of the type described in G.L. c.184 s.31 upon land none of which is non-buildable land; or

(d) Five (5) percent if such a conveyance is of a perpetual restriction of the type described in G.L. c.184 s.31 and such land is non-buildable.

(2) Wetlands: The density of the site may be increased by one (1) dwelling unit per wetland acre on the site.

(3) The maximum increase in density shall be two (2) and one-quarter (2.25) times permissible density allowed in a particular zoning district prior to the granting of the rezoning to PRD district.

c. PERMITTED USES - There shall be permitted in a PRD:

(1) Single family attached Townhouse Condominium units,

(2) Accessory uses as defined in Section II-1 of the Town of Wilmington Zoning By-Law.

d. AREA OF RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT- The area covered by buildings and accessory uses thereto, excluding recreational buildings, roads, parking areas, walkways and service or loading areas, shall not exceed forty (40) percent of the total PRD site.

e. AREA FOR ROADS AND PARKING - The area covered by roads, parking areas, walkways, service and loading areas shall not exceed twenty-five (25) percent of the total PRD site.

f. LOT AREA, FRONTAGE AND YARD REQUIREMENTS - There shall be no minimum lot area, frontage, or depth requirements within a PRD; however, minimum side yard, front yard, and rear yard set backs shall be equal to or greater than those required for adjacent land uses.

g. BUILDING HEIGHT - No building shall be more than two and one-half (2½) stories or thirty-five (35) feet in height, whichever is less, with no portions of the building occupied for dwelling purposes either below the mean finished grade at the perimeter of such building, or above the second (2nd) story.

h. STREETS, ROADWAYS, AND DRIVEWAYS - Standards of design and construction for streets, roadways and driveways within PRD districts shall conform to the Town of Wilmington Subdivision Rules and Regulations and Section IV-3.G of the Zoning By-Law.

i. PARKING - The Developer shall provide two (2) off street parking spaces for each dwelling unit with one (1) bedroom, plus an average of one half (½) space for each additional bedroom greater than one for each dwelling unit in the PRD. Entrance and exit driveways, curbs, drainage, surfacing, lighting and screening, shall conform with the design and improvement requirements stated in the Town of Wilmington Subdivision Rules and Regulations and Section IV-3 G of the Zoning By-Law. No more than thirty (30) parking spaces shall be allowed in any one open area.

j. UTILITIES - The developer shall provide all required utilities for the PRD, and utility wires shall be installed, in conformity with the Town of Wilmington Subdivision Rules and Regulations.

k. COMMON OPEN SPACE - At least thirty-five (35) percent of the total area of the PRD site shall, except as provided below, remain unbuilt upon, and shall be used for conservation, non-commercial outdoor recreation or playground purpose. Such land shall be hereafter referred to as "Common Open Space"

(1) Five (5) percent of non-buildable land, if any, may be included as part of the Common Open Space (COS).

(2) The COS may be in one or more parcels of a size and shape appropriate for its intended use as determined by the Planning Board.

(3) Recreational facilities and their accessory uses shall be permitted, as long as the total impervious surfaces constitute no more than ten (10) percent of the COS, provided that such structures shall in each case be consistent with the open space uses of such land.

(4) Any structure built for recreational purposes or accessory thereto, shall not be more than twenty (20) feet in height.

(5) Adequate non-vehicular access from one or more streets, roadways, driveways, or parking areas in the PRD shall be provided to each part of the COS which may be completely separated from other parts of the COS.

(6) Improvements to the COS must be appropriate to the uses of the COS and must conserve and enhance the amenities of the COS with regard to the topography and unimproved condition of the land.

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1. COMMON OPEN SPACE AND OTHER COMMON PROPERTY - OWNERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT:
Provisions as to ownership, use and maintenance of the Common Open Space and other Common Property must be approved and specified by the Planning Board in the Special Permit for the PRD consistent with the requirements set forth.

(1) The Common Open Space and other Common Property shall be conveyed to and owned by a non-profit corporation or unincorporated association, the owners or members of which shall be the owners of the dwelling units in the PRD or to a trust, the beneficiaries of which shall be the owners of the dwelling units in the PRD development. The principal purpose of such corporation, association or trust shall be the care, and maintenance and preservation of the Common Open Space and Other Common Property.

(2) The Common Open Space may be conveyed to the Conservation Commission or Recreation Commission of the Town for playground or open space use, subject to the approval of the Board of Selectmen, with a trust clause insuring that it be maintained as open space.

(3) Prior to the conveyance of the dwelling units in the PRD, there shall be recorded with the Middlesex County North District Registry of Deeds an instrument or instruments acceptable in form and substance to the Planning Board, the provisions of which shall be binding upon and insure to the benefit of all dwelling owners in the PRD and their successors in title, which shall at a minimum contain:

(a) A legal description of the Common Open Space and other Common Property.

(b) A statement of the purpose for which the COS is intended to be used and the restrictions on its use.

(c) The type and name of the corporation, association or trust which will own, manage and maintain the Common Open Space, and other Common Property.

(d) The ownership or beneficial interest in the corporation, association or trust of each owner of a dwelling unit in the PRD and a provision that such ownership or beneficial interest shall be appurtenant to the dwelling unit to which it relates and may not be conveyed or encumbered separately therefrom.

(e) Provisions for the number, term of office, and the manner of election to office, removal from office, and the filling of vacancies in the office or directors or officers of the corporation, association or trustees of the trust.

(f) Procedures for the conduct of the affairs and business of the corporation, association or trust including provision for the calling and holding of meetings of members or officers of the corporation, association or beneficiaries and trustees of the trust and provision for quorum and voting requirements for action to be taken. Each owner of a dwelling unit shall have voting rights proportional to his ownership or beneficial interest in the corporation, association or trust.

(g) Provision for the management, maintenance, operation, improvement and repair of the Common Open Space, facilities thereon, and other Common Property including provisions for obtaining and maintaining adequate insurance and levying and collecting from the dwelling owners common charges to pay for expenses associated with the COS and other Common Property, including real estate taxes. It shall be provided that common charges are to be allocated among the dwelling unit owners in proportion to their ownership or beneficial interests in the corporation, association or trust, and that each dwelling unit owner's share of the common charge shall be a lien against his real estate in the PRD, which shall have priority over all other liens, with the exception of municipal liens and first mortgages of record.

(h) The method by which such instrument or instruments may be amended.

(i) Until the corporation, association or trust is established and ready to assume responsibility for managing and maintaining the COS, and other Common Property, the developer shall continue to manage and maintain such land and common property.

m. COMMON OPEN SPACE - INTERESTS OF THE TOWN
The Planning Board shall insure by appropriate conditions in the Special Permit for PRD that:

(1) Recorded restrictions, which will not be terminated by operation of law and will be enforceable by the Town, are imposed on the COS so its use shall be restricted to conservation, recreation or playground purposes consistent with the provisions of this section and the Special Permit granted by the Planning Board.

(2) In order to collect due, but unpaid, municipal taxes and other charges assessed against or on account of the COS, the Town shall have the right to enforce or compel the enforcement of the liens on each dwelling unit owner's real estate in the PRD.

(3) An easement is granted and recorded which will permit the Town to enter upon and to take all necessary steps to clean, repair and maintain the COS should the corporation, association or trust established for such purpose fail to adequately do so. In such case, the members of the corporation, association or beneficiaries of a trust shall be assessed charges in compensation for Town labor and materials used in the maintenance of the COS. The function of maintenance of the COS shall revert to the corporation, association or trust when deemed appropriate by the Board of Selectmen.

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n. SLOPES AND VEGETATION - All manufactured slopes, other than those constructed in rock shall be planted or otherwise protected from the effects of storm runoff erosion and shall be of a character so as to cause the slope to blend with the surrounding terrain and development. The developer shall provide for the maintenance of the planting until growth is established.

7. APPLICATION PROCEDURE FOR PRELIMINARY SITE PLAN:

a. FILING FEE: All expenses for advertising, engineering, professional planning review, plans, inspection, construction, recording and filing of documents and all other expenses in connection with a PRD shall be borne by the applicant and are not refundable. The filing fee shall be two hundred and twenty-five dollars ($225) per acre of which twenty-five (25) percent is payable on submission of a preliminary site plan. The remainder of the filing fee is payable on submission of a definitive site plan.

b. PRELIMINARY SITE PLAN AND SUPPORTING MATERIAL:

(1) GENERAL: A preliminary site plan of the entire proposed development, properly drawn and conforming to the requirements herewith set forth, shall be filed with the Planning Board at regularly scheduled meeting, and twenty-five (25) percent of the filing fee.

(2) PRELIMINARY SITE PLAN: The applicant shall provide the Planning Board with an original plus two (2) copies of the Preliminary site plan drawn at a scale of one (1) inch equals forty (40) feet. The plan shall be designated as a "Preliminary Site Plan", and shall form a clear basis for discussion of the details of the PRD, and for preparation of the Definitive Site Plan, the plan shall contain at a minimum, all of the requirements for a "Preliminary Plan" as specified in the Town of Wilmington Subdivision Rules and Regulations. In addition, the "Preliminary Site Plan" shall include the proposed location of residential buildings and accessory buildings.

(3) SUPPORTING MATERIAL: Additional material to clarify and facilitate the interpretation of the plans shall be submitted to the Planning Board in written form when submitting the Preliminary Site Plan.

c. REVIEW BY OTHER TOWN OFFICIALS: The applicant shall transmit copies of the Preliminary Site Plan within one (1) week to the following Town Officials:

(1) One (1) copy each to the Board of Health, Conservation Commission, Town Engineer, Water and Sewer Commission, Fire Department, Police Department, Building Inspector and Superintendent of Schools. Failure to do so may result in Planning Board rejection of the Preliminary Site Plan.

(2) Written statements shall be required from the above officials to the Planning Board within thirty (30) days after receipt of the Preliminary Site Plan. In each of the above cases the Planning Board will assume that the respective officials have no comment if no report is received in thirty (30) days.

d. PLANNING BOARD DUTIES:

(1) The Planning Board shall give such Preliminary Site Plan approval, approval with conditions or disapproval within forty-five (45) days from submission of such plan. In the event of disapproval, the Planning Board shall state in writing the reason(s) for its disapproval.

8. APPLICATION PROCEDURE FOR SPECIAL PERMIT AND DEFINITIVE SITE PLAN:

a. FILING FEE: All expenses for advertising, engineering, professional planning review, plans, inspection, construction, recording and filing of documents and all other expenses in connection with a PRD shall be borne by the applicant and are not refundable. The filing fee shall be two hundred and twenty-five dollars ($225) per acre of which seventy-five (75) percent is payable on submission of the Special Permit Application and Definitive Site Plan.

b. APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL PERMIT AND DEFINITIVE SITE PLAN APPROVAL:

(1) GENERAL: A Special Permit Application for and a definitive site plan of the entire, proposed development, properly drawn and conforming to the requirements herewith set forth, shall be filed with the Planning Board at a regularly scheduled meeting, and seventy-five (75) percent of the filing fee.

(2) SPECIAL PERMIT AND DEFINITIVE SITE PLAN: An application for a Special Permit to develop a PRD must be filed with the Planning Board, and a duplicate with the Town Clerk, at the time when the Definitive Site Plan is submitted. The Definitive Site Plan shall contain, at a minimum, all the requirements for a "Definitive Plan" as specified in the Town of Wilmington Subdivision Rules and Regulations. In addition, the "Definitive Site Plan" shall include the proposed location of residential buildings and accessory buildings.

(3) SUPPORTING MATERIAL: Additional material to clarify and facilitate the interpretation of the plans shall be submitted to the Planning Board in written form when submitting the Definitive Site Plan, including:

(a) The form of organization that will own, manage and maintain the COS and other common property.

(b) All covenants, restrictions and easements to be imposed on the land, including the use of the COS, other common property and facilities thereon.

(4) DESIGN REQUIREMENTS: The definitive site plan shall incorporate all the requirements for site improvement as specified in the Town of Wilmington Subdivision Rules and Regulations and in Section

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IV-3.G of the Zoning By-Law.

c. REVIEW BY OTHER TOWN OFFICIALS: The review procedure by other Town Officials shall be the same procedure as set forth in Section 7.c. of this By-Law.

d. PLANNING BOARD DUTIES:

(1) The Planning Board shall hold a public hearing within sixty-five (65) days of the filing of the Special Permit Application and Definitive Site Plan. Notice of the Public Hearing shall be as set forth in Section 9 Chapter 40A G.L.

(2) The Planning Board shall give such Definitive Site Plan approval, approval with conditions or disapproval within ninety (90) days following the public hearing. The Planning Board, where necessary preserve the public health, safety and welfare, may impose further restrictions upon the site, or parts thereof, as a conditions to the granting of the Special Permit. If the Planning Board determines that all the requirements of this By-Law have been met, it shall grant a Special Permit. In the event of disapproval the Planning Board shall state in writing the reason(s) for its disapproval.

(3) If the Planning Board fails to act upon a Special Permit application for the PRD or fails to notify the Town Clerk and the person submitting the PRD application of its action within (90) days following the public hearing, it shall be deemed approved by the Planning Board.

e. RECORDING: The applicant shall cause to be recorded with an outline survey of the site, the approved Special Permit and all other legal documents which have become a part of the permit.

f. PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE: The improvements shown on the approved definitive site plan and incorporated in the approved Special Permit shall be guaranteed by the developer in the same manner as specified in the Town of Wilmington Subdivision Rules and Regulations.

9. OTHER REQUIREMENTS:

a. SUBDIVISION OF LAND: No lot shown on a plan for which a special permit is granted under this section may be further subdivided and a notation to that effect shall be endorsed upon the plan.

b. BOARD OF APPEALS PROCEDURE: The Board of Appeals procedure shall be as provided for in the Zoning By-Law of the Town of Wilmington.

and by amending the Wilmington Zoning By-Law in the following manner:

SECTION I-2.A. ESTABLISHMENT AND LOCATION OF DISTRICTS

Delete: A. For the purpose of this by-law, the Town of Wilmington is hereby divided into the following districts.

1. Rural Districts	(R)
2. Single-Residence-A Districts	(SRA)
3. Single-Residence-B Districts	(SRB)
4. Neighborhood Business Districts	(NB)
5. General Business Districts	(GB)
6. Industrial Districts	(IND)
7. High Density Traffic Business Districts	(HDTB)
8. Flood Plain Districts	(W)

and substitute: A. For the purpose of this by-law, the Town of Wilmington is hereby divided into the following districts.

1. Rural Districts	(R)
2. Single-Residence-A Districts	(SRA)
3. Single-Residence-B Districts	(SRB)
4. Planned Residential Development Districts	(PRD)
5. Neighborhood Business Districts	(NB)
6. General Business Districts	(GB)
7. Industrial Districts	(IND)
8. High Density Traffic Business Districts	(HDTB)
9. Flood Plain Districts	(W)

SECTION I-3. LOTS IN MORE THAN ONE DISTRICT

Add: "Except in a Planned Residential Development District," ....

SECTION IV-3.A. OFF STREET PARKING

Add: "Except in a Planned Residential Development District," ....

SECTION IV-4. SCREENING OF OPEN USES

Delete the words: (a Single-Residence-A or Single-Residence-B District.)

and substitute: "a Single-Residence-A, District, Single Residence-B District or a Planned Residential Development District."

SECTION V, Subsection V-1. SCHEDULE OF REQUIREMENTS

To add under the caption "HEIGHT, AREA AND YARD REGULATIONS" the following new schedule of requirements:....

1. Under the heading (District) below (Single-Residence-B District) the words: "Planned Residential Development District (PRD)";

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2. Under all of the remaining headings, the words...."As allowed in Section III-1.C".

SECTION VIII-2.B Permit Applications

Add in the final paragraph, following (authorized by) and before (the) the following:...."the Planning Board for uses under Section III-1.C, and"....

SECTION VIII-4.B.1. Powers

And a new subparagraph as follows: "b. Appeals from decisions of the Planning Board in Planned Residential Development Districts.

SECTION VIII-4.B.2 Powers

And a new subparagraph as follows: "c. Permits for Planned Residential Development Districts as provided in Section III-1.C;

or do anything in relation thereto.

Article by Planning Board. Finance Committee recommends approval.

Motion by Louis A. Maglio, "I move that the Town vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the Town of Wilmington to create planned Residential Development Districts for the purpose of permitting and regulating the construction of Planned Residential Developments by adding a new section to the Wilmington Zoning By-Law as follows:

At this point the Moderator asked if the article read as the Warrant Article. Mr. Maglio answered in the affirmative. The Moderator then asked that he refrain from the further reading of same. After much discussion John DeRoy read an amendment to the article, proposed by the Planning Board. Motion by John DeRoy, "I move that the Town vote to amend Article 18, Section III-1.C.6. DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS by deleting in its entirety subparagraph j. UTILITIES and substituting it with the following:

j. UTILITIES - Planned Residential Developments shall be connected to a public sanitary sewer system and the developer shall provide all required utilities for the PRD, and utility wires shall be installed, in conformity with the Town of Wilmington Subdivision Rules and Regulations.

The Amendment to the article was so voted and lost. A standing vote was taken for the main ARTICLE 18. Vote was No 255 and Yes 98. Motion lost.

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to make as part of the Planned Residential Development District and so classify the land on and off Salem Street, Containing 21.5 acres, more or less, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Northwesterly by Salem Street two hundred seventy-nine (279) feet more or less;
Westerly by lands now or formerly of Simpson, Dillaway, Priggin and Barrows seven hundred sixty-two (762) feet more or less;
Southwesterly by land now or formerly of Coombs three hundred fifty (350) feet more or less;
Westerly: by land now or formerly of Coombs and Emmons four hundred (400) feet more or less;
Northeasterly by land now or formerly of Emmons one hundred sixty-five (165) feet more or less;
Northerly by land now or formerly of Earle S. Hamilton one hundred thirty-five (135) feet more or less;
Westerly by land now or formerly of said Hamilton and Coombs three hundred sixty-five (365) feet more or less;
Northerly by land now or formerly of Coombs forty (40) feet more or less;
Westerly by land now or formerly of Hamilton one hundred forty-four (144) feet more or less;
Northerly by land now or formerly of Hamilton one hundred fifty (150) feet more or less;
Westerly by Middlesex Avenue forty (40) feet more or less;
Southerly by land now or formerly of Allen four hundred (400) feet more or less;
Westerly by land now or formerly of Allen one hundred ninety (190) feet more or less;
Southeasterly by Route 62 one thousand four hundred twenty-one (1421) feet more or less;
Easterly by Route 93 seven hundred forty-five (745) feet more or less.
Being shown as Lot 4Z on Sheet 96 of the Town of Wilmington Property Map, or do anything in relation thereto.

Finance Committee recommends approval. Paul Butt asked that the article be withdrawn. Motion so voted

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the Town of Wilmington to create PLANNED RESIDENTIAL APARTMENT DISTRICTS for the purposes of permitting and regulating the construction of Planned Residential Apartments by adding a new section to the Wilmington Zoning By-Law as follows:

III-1. D. PLANNED RESIDENTIAL APARTMENT DISTRICT

1. GENERAL REQUIREMENT:

The Planning Board may grant a special permit for improvements in a PRA, provided that requirements set forth hereinafter and review and approval of site development plans are completed.

2. INTENT AND PURPOSE:

Planned Residential Apartment Development is an alternative pattern of land development to conventional subdivision, which allows development of a site as a single entity. It is intended to encourage creative land development, with a greater mixture and diversity of housing types and

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configurations within the town, as well as the preservation of open space. It also encourages:

a. More efficient use of land while protecting natural resources, such as groundwater, wetlands, wildlife and other significant ecological features.

b. More efficient utilization of municipal services.

c. Effective control of growth and assurance of development of the highest quality.

d. Enhancement of real property values for the long-range future.

3. LOCATION:

The PRA district shall be a separate zoning district with standards and regulations as herein setforth. The PRA district shall be designated on the Zoning Map upon approval of a Zoning Map amendment at Town Meeting.

4. DEFINITIONS:

a. PLANNED RESIDENTIAL APARTMENT DEVELOPMENT (PRA) - A PRA shall mean the development of a site of land as a single entity in which residential single family attached Apartments are clustered at a greater net density, the remaining land set aside as open space for the purpose of preserving open space.

b. APPLICANT - As defined in the Subdivision Control Law, Section 81L, Chapter 41 General Laws.

c. FAMILY - (1) One or more persons related by blood, adoption or marriage, living and cooking as a single housekeeping unit; or (2) not more than two persons unrelated by blood, adoption or marriage, living and cooking together as a single housekeeping unit.

d. FIRE PROTECTION AREA - The open space between a building in a Planned Residential Apartment Development and a line parallel to and twenty (20) feet equidistant from any such building, or structure, available for emergency access, within which no building or structure may be erected without written permission from the Chief of the Wilmington Fire Department. However, this shall not be construed to prohibit landscaping.

e. PRINCIPLE ACCESS DRIVEWAY - A service road or driveway, other than a public way or a way approved in accordance with the Sub-division Control Law, which provided the principle access for vehicles to the buildings in the PRA development.

f. DWELLING UNIT - As defined in Section II-2 of the Town of Wilmington's Zoning By-Law.

5. BUILDABLE LAND DETERMINATION:

a. BUILDABLE LAND - The area of the site suitable for development shall be determined by the following formula:

(1) Nonbuildable land, as hereinafter defined, shall be first deducted from the site proposed for development.

(2) At a minimum, thirty-five (35) percent shall be set aside as Open Space for conservation and recreation purposes.

b. NON-BUILDABLE LAND - shall include:

(1) Wetlands as defined in Chapter 131 Section 40 of the General Laws of Massachusetts; a determination to be made by the Conservation Commission as to whether an area is a wetland in accordance with the procedures under the Wetlands Protection Act, Chapter 131 Section 30 Subsection 3, for "determination of applicability."

(2) Land located within a flood plain as defined in Section II-14 of the Zoning By-Law and as delineated on the Zoning Map.

(3) Those portions of the site which have a slope greater than twenty (20) percent.

FORMULA:

Site less Non-buildable Land less Open Space equals Buildable Land.

6. DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS:

a. MINIMUM SITE SIZE -The minimum site size for a PRA shall be fifteen (15) acres.

b. PERMISSIBLE DENSITY - The total number of dwelling units shall not exceed twice the permissible density allowed in a particular zoning district prior to the granting of the rezoning to PRA district except that the following density bonuses shall be allowed:

(1) Transferable Development Rights: The density of the site may be increased by conveying to the Town, or by restricting for the benefit of the Town, land which is not within the PRA site and which at the time of the submission of an application under this section was in private ownership and unencumbered by a perpetual restriction of the type described in G.L. c. 184 s. 31 or any restriction thereto, provided that the Planning Board determines that such transfer or restriction is consonant with the purposes of this by-law and of sufficient benefit to the Town. The number of transferable units is obtained by determining the area of buildable and non-buildable land, and by (1) dividing each such area of land situated in any one or more zoning district (s) which the applicant proposes to convey or restrict by the minimum lot size permitted in the zoning district (s) within which such land is located, and by (2) multiplying the number obtained therefrom by the appropriate following percentages:

(a) Fifty (50) percent if such conveyance is of the entire fee interest in the land none of which is non-buildable land; or

(b) Twenty (20) percent if such conveyance is of the entire fee interest in the land which is non-buildable land; or

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(c) Thirty (30) percent if such conveyance is of a perpetual restriction of the type described in G.L. c.184 s.31 upon land none of which is non-buildable land; or

(d) Five (5) percent if such conveyance is of a perpetual restriction of the type described in G.L. c.1 s.31 and such land is non-buildable.

(2) Wetlands: The density of the site may be increased by one (1) dwelling unit per wetland acre on the site.

(3) The maximum increase in density shall be two (2) and one-quarter (2.25) times permissible density allowed in a particular zoning district prior to the granting of the rezoning to PRA district.

c. PERMITTED USES - There shall be permitted in a PRA;

(1) Single family attached Apartment units.

(2) Accessory uses as defined in Section II-1 of the Town of Wilmington Zoning By-Law.

d. AREA OF RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT - The area covered by buildings and accessory uses thereto, excludin recreational buildings, roads, parking areas, walkways and service or loading areas, shall not exceed for (40) percent of the total PRA site.

e. AREA FOR ROADS AND PARKING - The area covered by roads, parking areas, walkways, service and loading areas shall not exceed twenty-five (25) percent of the total PRA site.

f. LOT AREA, FRONTAGE AND YARD REQUIREMENTS - There shall be no minimum lot area, frontage, or depth requirements within a PRA; however, minimum side yard, front yard, and rear yard set backs shall be equal to or greater than those required for adjacent land uses.

g. BUILDING HEIGHT - No building shall be more than two and one-half (2½) stories or thirty-five (35) feet in height, whichever is less, with no portions of the building occupied for dwelling purposes either below the mean finished grade at the perimeter of such building, or above the second (2nd) story.

h. STREETS, ROADWAYS, AND DRIVEWAYS - Standards of design and construction for streets, roadways and driveways within PRA districts shall conform to the Town of Wilmington Subdivision Rules and Regulations and Section IV-3.G of the Zoning By-Law.

i. PARKING - The Developer shall provide two (2) off street parking spaces for each dwelling unit with one (1) bedroom, plus an average of one half (½) space for each additional bedroom greater than one for each dwelling unit in the PRA. Entrance and exit driveways, curbs, drainage, surfacing, lighting and screening, shall conform with the design and improvement requirements stated in the Town of Wilmington Subdivision Rules and Regulations and Section IV-3.G of the Zoning By-Law. No more than thirty (30) parking spaces shall be allowed in any one open area.

j. UTILITIES - The developer shall provide all required utilities for the PRA, and utility wires shall b installed, in conformity with the Town of Wilmington Subdivision Rules and Regulations.

k. OPEN SPACE - At least thirty-five (35) percent of the total area of the PRA site shall remain unbuil upon, and shall be used for conservation, non-commercial outdoor recreation or playground purpose.

(1) Five (5) percent of non-buildable land, if any, may be included as part of the Open Space.

(2) The Open Space may be in one or more parcels of a size and shape appropriate for its intended use as determined by the Planning Board.

(3) Recreational facilities and their accessory uses shall be permitted, as long as the total impervious surfaces constitute no more than ten (10) percent of the Open Space, provided that such structures shall i each case be consistent with the open space uses of such land.

(4) Any structure built for recreational purposes or accessory thereto, shall not be more than twenty (20) feet in height.

l. SLOPES AND VEGETATION - All manufactured slopes, other than those constructed in rock, shall be plant ed or otherwise protected from the effects of storm runoff erosion and shall be of a character so as to cause the slope to blend with the surrounding terrain and development. The developer shall provide for the maintenance of the planting until growth is established.

7. APPLICATION PROCEDURE FOR PRELIMINARY SITE PLAN:

a. FILING FEE: All expenses for advertising, engineering, professional planning review, plans, inspection, construction, recording and filing of documents and all other expenses in connection with a PRA shall be borne by the applicant and are not refundable. The filing fee shall be two hundred and twenty-five dollars ($225) per acre of which twenty-five (25) percent is payable on submission of a preliminary site plan. The remainder of the filing fee is payable on submission of a definitive site plan.

b. PRELIMINARY SITE PLAN AND SUPPORTING MATERIAL:

(1) GENERAL: A preliminary site plan of the entire proposed development properly drawn and conforming to the requirements herewith set forth, shall be filed with the Planning Board at a regularly scheduled meeting, and twenty-five (25) percent of the filing fee.

(2) PRELIMINARY SITE PLAN: The applicant shall provide the Planning Board with an original plus two (2) copies of the Preliminary Site Plan drawn at a scale of one (1) inch equals forty (40) feet. The plan shall be designated as a "Preliminary Site Plan", and shall form a clear basis for discussion of the details of the PRA, and for preparation of the Definitive Site Plan, the plan shall

contain at a minimum, all of the requirements for a "Preliminary Plan" as specified in the Town of Wilmington Subdivision Rules and Regulations. In addition, the "Preliminary Site Plan" shall include the proposed location of residential buildings and accessory buildings.

(3) SUPPORTING MATERIAL - Additional material to clarify and facilitate the interpretation of the plans shall be submitted to the Planning Board in written form when submitting the Preliminary Site Plan.

c. REVIEW BY OTHER TOWN OFFICIALS: The applicant shall transmit copies of the Preliminary Site Plan within one (1) week to the following Town Officials:

(1) One (1) copy each to the Board of Health, Conservation Commission, Town Engineer, Water and Sewer Commission, Fire Department, Police Department, Building Inspector and Superintendent of Schools. Failure to do so may result in Planning Board rejection of the Preliminary Site Plan.

(2) Written statements shall be required from the above officials to the Planning Board within thirty (30) days after receipt of the Preliminary Site Plan. In each of the above cases the Planning Board will assume that the respective officials have no comment if no report is received in thirty (30) days.

d. PLANNING BOARD DUTIES:

(1) The Planning Board shall give such Preliminary Site Plan approval, approval with conditions or disapproval within forty-five (45) days from submission of such plan. In the event of disapproval, the Planning Board shall state in writing the reason(s) for its disapproval.

8. APPLICATION PROCEDURE FOR SPECIAL PERMIT AND DEFINITIVE SITE PLAN:

a. FILING FEE: All expenses for advertising, engineering, professional planning review, plans,inspection, construction, recording and filing of documents and all other expenses in connection with a PRA shall be borne by the applicant and are not refundable. The filing fee shall be two hundred and twenty-five dollars ($225) per acre of which seventy-five (75) percent is payable on submission of the Special Permit Application and Definitive Site Plan.

b. application for special permit and definitive site plan approval:

(1) GENERAL: A Special Permit Application for a definitive site plan of the entire proposed development, properly drawn and conforming to the requirements herewith set forth, shall be filed with the Planning Board at a regularly scheduled meeting, and seventy-five (75) percent of the filing fee.

(2) SPECIAL PERMIT AND DEFINITIVE SITE PLAN: An application for a Special Permit to develop a PRA must be filed with the Planning Board, and a duplicate with the Town Clerk, at the time when the Definitive Site Plan is submitted. The Definitive Site Plan shall contain, at a minimum, all the requirements for a "Definitive Plan" as specified in the Town of Wilmington Subdivision Rules and Regulations. In addition, the "Definitive Site Plan" shall include the proposed location of residential buildings and accessory buildings.

(3) SUPPORTING MATERIAL: Additional material to clarify and facilitate the interpretation of the plans shall be submitted to the Planning Board in Written form when submitting the Definitive Site Plan.

(4) DESIGN REQUIREMENTS: The Definitive Site Plan shall incorporate all the requirements for site improvement as specified in the Town of Wilmington Subdivision Rules and Regulations and in Section IV-3.G of the Zoning By-Law.

c. REVIEW BY OTHER TOWN OFFICIALS: The review procedure by other Town Officials shall be the same procedure as set forth in Section 7.c. of this By-Law.

d. PLANNING BOARD DUTIES:

(1) The Planning Board shall hold a public hearing within sixty-five (65) days of the filing of the Special Permit Application and Definitive Site Plan. Notice of the Public Hearing shall be as set forth in Section 9 Chapter 40A G.L.

(2) The Planning Board shall give such Definitive Site Plan approval, approval with conditions or disapproval within ninety (90) days following the public hearing. The Planning Board, where necessary to preserve the public health, safety and welfare, may impose further restrictions upon the site, or parts thereof, as conditions to the granting of the Special Permit. If the Planning Board determines that all the requirements of this By-Law have been met, it shall grant a Special Permit. In the event of disapproval the Planning Board shall state in writing the reason(s) for its disapproval.

(3) If the Planning Board fails to act upon a Special Permit application for the PRA or fails to notify the Town Clerk and the person submitting the PRA application of its action within ninety (90) days following the public hearing, it shall be deemed approved by the Planning Board.

e. RECORDING: The applicant shall cause to be recorded with an outline survey of the site, the approved Special Permit and all other legal documents which have become a part of the permit.

f. PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE: The improvements shown on the approved Definite Site Plan and incorporated in the approved Special Permit shall be guaranteed by the developer in the same manner as specified in the Town of Wilmington Subdivision Rules and Regulations.

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9. OTHER REQUIREMENTS:

a. SUBDIVISION OF LAND: No lot shown on a plan for which a special permit is granted under this section may be further subdivided and a notation to that effect shall be endorsed upon the plan.

b. BOARD OF APPEALS PROCEDURE: The Board of Appeals procedure shall be as provided for in the Zoning By-Law of the Town of Wilmington. and by amending the Wilmington Zoning By-Law in the following manner:

SECTION I-2.A. ESTABLISHMENT AND LOCATION OF DISTRICTS

Delete: A. for the purpose of this by-law, the Town of Wilmington is hereby divided into the follow districts.

1.	Rural Districts	(R)
2.	Single-Residence-A Districts	(SRA)
3.	Single-Residence-B Districts	(SRB)
4.	Neighborhood Business Districts	(NB)
5.	General Business Districts	(GB)
6.	Industrial Districts	(IND)
7.	High Density Traffic Business Districts	(HDTB)
8.	Flood Plain Districts	(W)

and substitute: A. For the purpose of this by-law, the Town of Wilmington is hereby divided into the following districts.

1.	Rural Districts	(R)
2.	Single-Residence-A Districts	(SRA)
3.	Single-Residence-B Districts	(SRB)
4.	Planned Residential Apartment Districts	(PRA)
5.	Neighborhood Business Districts	(NB)
6.	General Business Districts	(GB)
7.	Industrial Districts	(IND)
8.	High Density Traffic Business Districts	(HDTB)
9.	Flood Plain Districts	(W)

SECTION I-3 LOTS IN MORE THAN ONE DISTRICT

Add: "Except in a Planned Residential Apartment District," ....

SECTION IV-3.A. OFF-STREET PARKING

Add: "Except in a Planned Residential Apartment District," ....

SECTION IV-4. SCREENING OF OPEN USES

Delete the words: (a Single-Residence-A or Single-Residence-B District.)
and substitute: " a Single-Residence-A District, Single Residence-B District or a Planned Residential Apartment District."

SECTION V, Subsection V-1. SCHEDULE OF REQUIREMENTS

To add under the caption "HEIGHT, AREA AND YARD REGULATIONS" the following new schedule of requirements: ....

1. Under the heading (District) below (Single-Residence-B District) the words: "Planned Residentia Apartment District (PRA)";

2. Under all of the remaining headings, the words..."As allowed in Section III-1.D".

SECTION VIII-2.B. Permit Applications

Add in the final paragraph, following (authorized by) and before (the) the following:...."the Planning Board for uses under Section III-1.D, and"....

SECTION VIII-4.B.1. Powers

Add a new subparagraph as follows: "b. Appeals from decisions of the Planning Board in Planned Residential Apartment Districts".

SECTION VIII-4.B.2. Powers

Add a new subparagraph as follows: "e. Permits for Planned Residential Apartment Districts as provided in section III-1.D;
or do anything in relation thereto.

Article by Wilmington Housing Authority. Finance Committee recommends approval.

Motion by Barbara Larson of the Wilmington Housing Authority: "I move that the Town vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the Town of Wilmington to create Planned Residential Apartment Districts for municipal use only for the purpose of permitting and regulating the construction of Planned Residential Apartments by adding a new section to the Wilmington Zoning By-Law as follows: Same as main article. Second motion by Barbara Larson: "I move to amend the main motion submitted pursuant to Article 20, by adding to clause "6. Development Standards" the following additional sub-paragraph.

m. CONNECTION TO PUBLIC SEWER MAIN

Every Planned Residential Apartment, and every apartment residential unit located therein shall be served by and be connected to a public sanitary sewer main of the Town of Wilmington."

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The Moderator interrupted at this point asked if the motion with these exceptions was the same? Being the same he suggested that she do away with any further reading. After some discussion the Article as amended was voted and lost, unanimously.

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote to transfer Town-owned land off West Street to the care, custody, management and control of the Wilmington Housing Authority, said land to be used for housing purposes, being bound and described as follows:

Westerly by Lot A2, A1, Map 71 Parcel 13 and Map 71 Parcel 12 in 4 courses	100.40, 606.45, 135 & 165 feet
Northerly by Map 71 Parcel 1	400 feet
Easterly by the Reading Line	930 feet
Southerly by Land of N. or F. Loring	160 feet

or do anything in relation thereto.
Article by Wilmington Housing Authority. Finance Committee recommends disapproval.
Motion by Barbara Larson: "I move that we pass over this article. Motion seconded and so voted. Article passed over.

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Map of the Town of Wilmington by voting to rezone from Single Residence A District and Industrial District to Planned Residential Apartment District the following:
The land in Wilmington situated on the Easterly side of West Street, bound and described as follows:

Westerly by West Street in three courses	95.00,119.00 & 53.25 feet
Northerly by Lot A1	623.68 feet
Westerly by Lot A1, Map 71 Parcel 13 and Map 71 Parcel 12 in 3 courses	105.74,135 & 165 feet
Northerly by Map 71 Parcel 1	400 feet
Easterly by the Reading Line	930 feet
Southerly, Southerly, Easterly and Southerly by Land of N. or F. Loring in 4 courses	160,189.25 ,98.00 & 174.00 feet

or do anything in relation thereto.
Article by Wilmington Housing Authority. Finance Committee recommends disapproval. Motion by Barbara Larson: "I would like to withdraw this article. Motion so voted. Article withdrawn.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Map of the Town of Wilmington by voting to rezone from Single Residence A District and Industrial District to Planned Residential Apartment District the following:
The land in Wilmington situated on the Easterly side of West Street, bound and described as follows:

Westerly by West Street in three courses	95.00,119.00 & 53.25 feet
Northerly by Lot A1	623.68 feet
Easterly by Land of N. or F. Lehan in 2 courses	500.71 & 100.40 feet
Southerly, Easterly and Southerly by land of N. or F. Loring in three courses	189.25,98.00 & 174.00 feet

or do anything in relation thereto.
Article by Wilmington Housing Authority. Finance Committee recommends disapproval. Motion by Barbara Larson: "I would like to withdraw this article." Motion so voted. Article withdrawn.

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50,000 for the purpose of designing and constructing approximately 2,100 feet of sidewalk on Nichols Street provided that all the property owners on the west side of Nichols Street sign releases for the sidewalk location; or do anything else in relation thereto. Finance Committee recommends disapproval, unanimously. Article by petition.

Mr. James Banda: "I make a motion to pass over this article." So voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the town will vote to accept Ainsworth Road as a public town way, as laid out by the Board of Selectmen and approved by the Planning Board, according to a plan filed with the office of the Town Clerk, or any better approved plan, and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to receive as a GIFT such land as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article.

Money to be raised by assessment to the abuttors with provision of Chapter 80 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts with Reference to betterments. Article by petition.

Mr. Aldo Caira: "I move that this article be passed over." Motion so voted.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Map of the Town of Wilmington by voting to REZONE FROM SINGLE RESIDENCE A DISTRICT TO GENERAL BUSINESS DISTRICT the following described premises:

The land in Wilmington situated on the Southerly side of Lowell Street and bounded as follows:
Northerly by Lowell Street,
Westerly by West Street,
Southerly by existing industrial district,
and Easterly by Route 93:
or do anything in relation thereto.

Article by petition. Finance Committee recommends disapproval, unanimously.

Motion by Mr. Aldo Caira: "I move that this article be passed over." Motion so voted.

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map of the Town of Wilmington by voting to rezone from General Business and Industrial District to High Density Traffic Business District, the following described parcels of land to wit:

A certain parcel of land located in Wilmington, Mass., Middlesex County, with the buildings thereon situated on the westerly side of Main Street and shown as Lot A on Plan entitled "Plan of Land in Wilmington, Massachusetts, owned by Willie B. McIntosh, dated January 5, 1945, made by Dana F. Perkins, Civil Engineer and Surveyor" recorded with the Middlesex North District Deeds, Book of Plans 77, Plan 4, bounded and described as follows:

EASTERLY ON Main Street, 100 feet;
SOUTHERLY on land now or formerly of Willie B. McIntosh shown as LOT B on said Plan, 215.34 feet;
WESTERLY on land now or formerly of the Boston and Maine Railroad, 100 feet;
NORTHERLY on land now or formerly of John R. McIntosh, 211.71 feet to the point of beginning.
CONTAINING 21,350 square feet of land.

BEING the same premises conveyed to the Grantor by Deed of Oil Service Company of New England dated July 28, 1965 and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 1708, Page 274.

A certain parcel of land in Wilmington in the County of Middlesex, being shown as Lot 1-B on a plan entitled "Sub-division Plan of Land, Wilmington, Mass., owned by A.B. Sweezey, Inc." November 1976, William G. Troy & Associates, Registered Land Surveyors, to be recorded herewith, and being further bounded and described as follows:

SOUTHEASTERLY by Main Street, fifty (50) feet;
SOUTHWESTERLY by Lot 1-A, Two hundred seventeen and 16/100 (217.16) feet;
NORTHEASTERLY by land now or formerly of Charles W. & Ruth Doucette, two hundred fifteen and 34/100 (215.34) feet;
NORTHWESTERLY by land of Boston & Maine, fifty (50) feet.
CONTAINING about 10,810 square feet.

For my title reference see Deed from Walter C. LaDow et ux, dated October 11, 1954, recorded with Middlesex North Registry of Deeds, Book 1272, Page 99.
or do anything in relation thereto.

Article by petition. Finance Committee recommends disapproval, unanimously.
Motion by Mr. Charles Doucette: "I move that the Town vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning Map of the Town of Wilmington by voting to rezone from General Business and Industrial District to High Density Traffic Business District, the following described parcel of land to wit;

The article being the same as the printed article the further reading of same was not necessary. The Finance Committee reconsidered their decision and were favorable.

After very little discussion the vote was taken. 2/3rds vote being required, a standing vote was taken. Vote was 262 Yes and 20 No. Motion so voted.

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell and convey to Larz Neilson a certain parcel of town-owned land shown as part of Parcel 8A on Assessors' Map 89, containing 5902 square feet, subject to such terms and conditions as the Selectmen may determine, and further to set the minimum amount to be paid for such conveyance; or do anything in relation thereto.

Article by petition. Finance Committee recommends approval, unanimously voted. Motion by Mr. Larz Neilson: "I move that the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell and convey to Larz Neilson a certain parcel of Town owned land shown as part of Parcel 8A on Assessors' Map 89, containing 5902 square feet, subject to such terms and conditions as the Selectmen may determine, and further to set the minimum amount to be paid for such conveyance.

Second motion by Mr. Neilson: "I move that we amend Article 28 to read $3,790.00. The first motion was voted unanimously, after the numeration was added it was brought up for reconsideration and again voted unanimously. Amount voted $3,790.00. Second motion seconded and so voted.

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to sell and convey to Catherine R. Jackson, 4 Reading Avenue, Wilmington, a certain parcel of town-owned land shown as Parcel 76 on Assessors Map 55, containing about 15,000 square feet, subject to such terms and conditions as the Selectmen may determine, and further to set the minimum amount to be paid for such conveyance; or do anything in relation thereto.

Article by petition. Finance Committee recommends disapproval, unanimously. This article was withdrawn when the petitioner was made aware of the amount of the purchase. Mr. Morris moved to amend the article to read purchase price of $9,000. The request to withdraw was so voted. Article withdrawn.

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell and convey to Joseph P. Casey and Alice J. Casey a certain parcel of Town-owned land shown as Parcel 3 on Assessors' Map 64 bound and described as follows:

Northwesterly by land of Casey	704.58 feet
Northeasterly by Federal Street	175.14 feet
Southeasterly by land of Cuoco	262.09 feet
Southwesterly by land of John'sSons Realty	524.20 feet (more or less)

containing 113,706 square feet more or less, subject to such terms and conditions as the Selectmen may determine, and further to set the minimum amount to be paid for such conveyance; or do anything in relation thereto.

Article by petition. Finance Committee recommends disapproval, unanimously.
Motion by Mr. Joseph Casey: "I move that the Town vote to sell and convey to Joseph P. Casey and Alice J. Casey a certain parcel of land as described in Article 30. A price of $11,000 was placed on the land. Motion seconded and so voted. Yes 202 No 61. Voted by 2/3rds vote.

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell and convey to Joseph A. and Joan S. Berardi a certain parcel of town-owned land shown as Parcel 100 on Assessors Map 44, subject to such terms and conditions as the Selectmen may determine and further to set the minimum amount to be paid for such conveyance; or do anything in relation thereto.

Article by petition. Fiance Committee recommends disapproval, unanimously.
Motion by Sterling C. Morris: "I move that we pass over this article. Motion so voted and seconded by Aldo Caira. Article passed over.

ARTICLE 32. The School Traffic Supervisors of Wilmington request that all Wilmington Traffic Supervisors be able to participate in the retirement system which they enjoyed before 1975; or do anything in relation thereto.

Article by petition. Finance Committee recommends disapproval, unanimously. Motion was made and seconded to pass over this article. Motion so voted.

ARTICLE 33. Move that the town vote, that within the rights, duties and obligations of Massachusetts General Laws Chapters 70, 71 and Chapter 41 Sections 59 and 60, the School Committee, School Superintendent and other school administrators authorized by law to expend money shall, in addition to providing their budget as required by those Chapters, also furnish to the Town Manager two alternative budgets (inclusive of special articles, if any) for fiscal year 1980 and 1981, each of which is 10% and 5%,

Article 33 (continued)
respectively, below that voted for fiscal year 1979-1980. And that the town manager shall furnish these alternative budgets to the Selectmen and Advisory Committee. These alternative budgets and appropriations shall be printed on and distributed with any documents distributed pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 41 Section 60, the Town Charter and By-Laws.

Article by petition. Finance Committee recommends disapproval, unanimously. Motion by John Murphy: "I move that the Town vote, motion read the same as the printed article." After much discussion the motion was defeated.

ARTICLE 34. Move that the town vote, that in addition to the rights, duties and obligations of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 41 Sections 59 and 60, the Selectmen and all boards, committees, heads of departments or other officers of the town authorized by law to expend money shall also furnish to the Town Manager an alternative of budgets and special articles for fiscal year 1980-1981 the total of which is at least 10% below that voted for fiscal year 1979-1980. And that the Town Manager shall furnish this alternative to the Selectmen and Advisory Committee. These alternative budgets and appropriations shall be printed on and distributed with any documents distributed pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 41 Section 60, and the Town Charter and By-Laws.

Article by petition. Finance Committee recommends disapproval, unanimously. Motion by John Murphy, same as above. Motion was defeated.

With no further motions to come before the meeting the Moderator asked for a motion to adjourn. Motion by Sterling Morris and seconded by Aldo Caira. Motion so voted and the meeting adjourned at 10:30 P.M.

There were 421 voters in attendance at the Monday evening meeting.

ARTICLES BY TAXATION	$14,574,223.
REVENUE SHARING	560,000.
TRANSFER	673,290.
BOND ISSUE	$ 95,550

Priscilla R. Ward
Town Clerk
Wilmington, Massachusetts

Attest:

WARRANT SPECIAL TOWN MEETING - SEPTEMBER 24, 1979

TO: EITHER OF THE CONSTABLES OF THE TOWN OF WILMINGTON:

GREETINGS: In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and in the manner prescribed by the Revised By-Laws of said Town, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town qualified to vote in Town affairs to meet and assemble at the Barrows Auditorium in said Town of Wilmington, on Monday evening, the 24th day of September A.D. 1979 at 7:30 p.m., then and there to act on the following articles:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate an additional sum of money for the purpose of constructing and equipping a water treatment plant as previously authorized under Article 12 at the Adjourned Annual Town Meeting held on March 11, 1978 and to determine how the appropriation shall be raised, by borrowing or otherwise; or do anything in relation thereto. (Request of the Water & Sewer Commission)

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant, or a certified copy thereof with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk as soon as may be and before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal of said Town this tenth day of September A.D. 1979.

Selectmen of the Town of Wilmington
s/Rocco V. DePasquale, Chairman
s/James F. Banda
s/Aldo A. Caira
s/A. John Imbimbo
s/Robert J. Cain

Attest:

(Special Town Meeting continued)

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING - SEPTEMBER 24, 1979 - BARROWS AUDITORIUM

On September 24, 1979 at 8:30 P.M. at the Barrows Auditorium, in the High School, the Moderator declared that a quorum being present the Special Town Meeting was open for the transaction of any business to be brought before it.

The Moderator John Callan read the Warrant as posted and recognized George R. Allan, Water Commissioner. Motion by Mr. Allan: "I move that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the additional sum of $600,000.00 for the purpose of constructing and equipping a water treatment plant as previously authorized under Article 12 at the Adjourned Annual Town Meeting held on March 11, 1978, and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is hereby authorized to borrow a sum not to exceed $600,000.00 under and pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 8, Clause 4 of the General Laws as amended and supplemented, and issue the bonds or notes of the Town therefor, at one time or from time to time, each issue of such bonds or notes to be payable in not more than 20 years from its date, and that the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners be, and they hereby are, authorized to accept, allocate and expend any funds that may be received for this purpose from the Federal or State Government under any grant program, as a contribution toward the cost of the project, in lieu of the sum appropriated hereby, or any part thereof."

After some discussion of the matter and a short recitation from a member of the local Carpenters Union about the company being awarded the bid for the treatment plant, the Moderator asked for a standing vote. Finance Committee recommended approval, unanimously. The vote was Yes 161 and No 1. Motion was so voted.

The Moderator declared there being no further business to come before the meeting that said meeting be adjourned. The meeting was declared adjourned at 8:55 P.M. There were 176 voters in attendance. Article voted by Bond Issue $600,000.00.

Attest:

Priscilla R. Ward
Town Clerk
Wilmington, Mass.

George Allan, Chairman, Water & Sewer Commission Presenting Case for Water Treatment Plant

Town Accountant

ANALYSIS OF CASH ACCOUNT
July 1, 1978 to June 30, 1979

Balance as of July 1, 1978				2,322,919.72
Add: Cash Receipts 7/1/78 to 6/30/79				35,347,325.44
				37,670,245.16
Deduct: Cash Expenditures 7/1/78 to 6/30/79				36,066,133.67
Balance on Hand 6/30/79				1,604,111.49
		ANALYSIS OF CASH RECEIVED		
Tax Collections:				
Personal Property, Levy	1976	768.00		
	1978	5,569.00		
	1979	305,450.51	311,787.51	
Real Estate, Levy	1974	75.22		
	1977	53,921.95		
	1978	196,524.26		
	1979	10,828,232.23		
	1980	1,119.43	11,079,873.09	
Betterments Added to Taxes:				
Water Assessments, Levy	1977	519.71		
Street Assessments,	1977	467.39		
Water Assessments,	1978	1,836.24		
Water Assessments,	1979	11,612.15		
Street Assessments,	1979	9,981.61		
Sewer Assessments,	1979	5,794.52	30,211.62	
Water Liens Added to Taxes:				
Levy	1976	48.14		
	1977	947.95		
	1978	1,262.86		
	1979	26,748.17	29,007.12	
Sewer Liens Added to Taxes:				
Levy	1979		1,292.13	
Tax Titles & Possessions:				
Tax Titles Redeemed		37,802.00		
Tax Possessions		30,590.00	68,392.00	
Pro-Forms Taxes			390.82	
Assessments Paid in Advance:				
Water		1,471.85		
Street		3,237.61		
Sewer		8,547.60	13,257.06	11,534,211.35
		AMOUNTS BORROWED		
Short Term Loans:				
Temporary Loans, Antic. of Revenue			2,750,000.00	
, Antic. of Bond Issue			110,000.00	2,860,000.00

GRANTS AND GIFTS

Federal Aid:			
Schools:			
Special Workshops	7,465.00		
Public Law #94-482	22,512.00		
Handicapped Children	64,170.00		
Reading Skills	83,650.00		
Business Education Program	605.85		
Learning Resources	10,936.18		
Head Start 1980	14,662.00	204,001.03	
Antirecession Fiscal Funds		16,549.83	
Interlibrary Loan Improvement Project		200.00	
Sewer Grant Reimbursement		694,700.00	
State Aid:			
Schools:			
Arts & Humanities	1,100.00		
Public Libraries	6,621.00		
Highway & Transit Develop. Assist.	86,464.00	94,185.00	
C.E.T.A. Funds		4,118.67	1,013,754.53

REVOLVING FUNDS

School Lunch Program:			
State Reimbursements	206,261.94		
Program Receipts	235,888.62	442,150.56	
High School Athletic Association		10,133.75	
Recreation Dedicated Accounts		23,307.30	
Outside Detail Account		46,956.49	
Tax Title Recordings		247.52	522,795.62

RESTRICTED RECEIPTS

Water Guaranteed Deposits		4,676.75	
Water Department:			
Water Rates	617,095.06		
Water Services	3,713.98		
Water Installations	435.56		
Industrial Fire Protection Rates	10,383.61		
Industrial Way Pumping Station	8,921.63		
Water Department Refunds	364.11		
Water Available Surplus	82.62	640,996.57	
Sewer Use (Septage Disposal)		7,500.00	
Veterans' Aid Reimbursements		2,189.50	
Memorial Library Gifts		89.94	
Carter Lecture Fund, Reimbursements		589.02	
Sale of Cemetery Lots		9,032.00	
Perpetual Care Funds		8,720.00	
Tailings Account		2,469.31	
Fire Insurance Reimbursements Restricted for Glen Road School Use		33,796.00	
Blue Cross/Blue Shield Dividend		11,336.00	
Sale of Town Owned Land		100.00	
Appropriation Refunds		24,722.31	
Surplus Revenue (Refunds-prior years)		226.00	746,443.40

AGENCY & TRUST FUNDS

Short Term Investments			11,270,877.60
Employee Deductions:			
Federal Withholding	1,571,543.75		
State Withholding	466,713.07		
Retirement System	480,733.53		
Blue Cross/Blue Shield	155,617.56		
Group Insurance	2,464.28		
Washington National Insurance	6,370.60		

AGENCY & TRUST FUNDS
(continued)

Employee Deductions: (cont.)			
Tax Sheltered Annuities	74,962.97		
Credit Union	744,798.00		
U. S. Savings Bonds	19,023.75		
Union Dues	56,277.45		
Court Ordered Deductions	2,150.00	3,580,654.96	
Fish & Game Licenses for Commonwealth		8,367.40	
County Dog Licenses		4,413.95	
Lunch Food Tax, State		760.82	3,594,197.13

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Schools, State Reimbursements	2,136,582.21		
Real Estate Abatements, Veterans, State	10,258.05		
, Blind, State	787.50		
, Widows, State	9,625.00		
, Elderly, State	30,118.64		
Loss of Taxes, State	890.79		
Lottery Funds, State	46,446.00		
Local Aid Fund, State	210,889.52		
Highway Gas Fund, State	41,560.00		
Regional Vocational School Reimbursement, State	31,772.00		
Historical Commission, State	966.69		
Conservation Commission, State	3,900.00		
Veterans Benefits Reimbursement, State	12,239.89	2,536,036.29	
Motor Vehicle Excise Collections:			
Prior Levies	427,945.77		
Current Levies	431,834.26	859,780.03	
Farm Animal Excise Taxes		132.10	
Ambulance Account		4,422.33	
Sewer Rates		79,320.27	
Liquor Licenses		7,300.00	
Interests & Costs:			
Short Term Investments	70,795.30		
Tax Collections	41,468.13		
Water Demands	4,725.34		
General Fund Investments	79,242.22		
Tax Titles Interests & Costs	6,268.12	202,499.11	
Municipal Receipts:			
Selectmen	1,135.50		
Tax Collector	5,711.50		
Town Clerk	7,454.03		
Planning Board	45.25		
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Commissions	454.76	14,801.04	
Police Department		4,711.00	
Building Inspector:			
Building Permits	24,425.50		
Wire Permits	3,918.75		
Plumbing Permits	828.00		
Gas Permits	774.00		
Certification Fees	50.00	29,996.25	
Sealer of Weights & Measures		658.00	
Engineering Department		430.00	
Cemetery Department		9,937.00	
Drainlayer Permits		100.00	
Advertising Fees		12.25	
Director of Standards		72.00	
Health & Sanitation:			
Board of Health	4,184.06		
Public Health Nurse	282.50		
Sale of Dogs	213.00		
Dog License Reimbusements	2,859.71	7,539.27	

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS
(continued)

Library Receipts	1,233.48	
Conservation Commission	425.00	
Insurance & Workmens Comp. Reimbursements	6,791.79	
Witness Fee, Probate Court	6.00	
Court Fines	38,842.60	3,805,045.81
TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR PERIOD JULY 1, 1978 to JUNE 30, 1979		$35,347,325.44

ANALYSIS OF THE ESTIMATED RECEIPTS USED BY THE ASSESSORS IN SETTING THE 1979 TAX RATE WITH THE ACTUAL 1978 RECEIPTS

	Used by the Assessors in Setting 1979 Tax Rate	Actual Receipts 1978	More Than Estimated	Less Than Estimated
Motor Vehicles & Trailer Excise	651,486.00	680,443.92	28,957.92	
Licenses	8,000.00	7,200.00		800.00
Fines	4,264.00	14,446.75	10,182.75	
Special Assessments	25,301.00	27,837.80	2,536.80	
General Government	11,909.00	15,097.00	3,188.00	
Protection of Persons & Property	39,664.00	18,404.55		21,259.45
Health & Sanitation	3,135.00	4,847.56	1,712.56	
Highways	910.00	521.00		389.00
Libraries, Local Receipts	896.00	1,185.59	289.59	
Cemeteries (Other than Trust Funds & Sale of Lots)	10,112.00	9,475.00		637.00
Interest	121,456.00	239,416.26	117,960.26	
Farm Animal Excise	153.00	315.35	162.35	
Ambulance Services	4,847.00	4,771.80		75.20
Sewer Revenue	72,228.00	72,842.03	614.03	
Dog License Reimbursements	3,061.00	2,608.00		453.00
Miscellaneous Receipts	6,326.00	2,712.08		3,613.92
Regional Vocational School	63,359.00	31,772.00		31,587.00
	1,027,107.00	1,133,896.69	165,604.26	58,814.57

DISBURSEMENTS FROM GENERAL ACCOUNTS
ANALYSIS OF EXPENDITURES OTHER THAN THAT RAISED FROM
APPROPRIATION FOR THE PERIOD 7/1/78 - 6/30/79

Refunds:			
Personal Property Taxes		5.65	
Real Estate Taxes		26,413.75	
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes		12,145.26	
Tax Title Recording Fees		247.52	
Ambulance Account		45.00	
Tailings Account		12.00	
Sale of Lots, Cemetery		50.00	
Estimated Receipts		647.29	
Overlay Accounts (Interest)		17.69	
Water Department:			
Rates	475.98		
Services	10.00		
Industrial Way	14.54		
Water Liens, 1975	114.40		
Water Guaranteed Deposits	639.38	1,254.30	40,838.46
Assessments - State & County:			
State Recreation	89,282.12		
M.D.C. Sewer	81,947.25		
Motor Vehicle Excise Bills	2,484.75		
Air Pollution Control	1,558.12		
Planning Council	2,560.12		
M.B.T.A.	235,341.35		
Ipswich River Watershed	1,154.03	414,327.74	
County Tax	247,253.69		
County Hospital	16,724.81		
County Retirement	305,520.00	569,498.50	983,826.24
Legal Settlements			15,700.00
Temporary Loans - Anticipation of Taxes			2,750,000.00
Glen Acres Trust			16,210.74
Corum Meadows Trust			22.00
Outside Details:			
Police		36,184.25	
Fire		539.23	
Maintenance		9,935.26	
Miscellaneous Departments		461.25	47,119.99
Employee Deductions:			
Withholding Taxes, Federal		1,571,543.75	
State		466,713.07	
Retirement		476,030.38	
Group Insurance		2,398.79	
Washington National Insurance		6,413.42	
Blue Cross/Blue Shield		158,163.78	
Tax Sheltered Annuities		72,921.83	
U. S. Savings Bonds		19,023.75	
Credit Union		744,798.00	
Court Ordered Deductions		2,200.00	
Union Dues:			
Town Employees	3,986.00		
Police Department	3,852.46		
Fire Department	3,016.00		
Maintenance Department	4,032.00		
Teachers	41,378.35	56,264.81	3,576,471.58
Agency Accounts:			
County Dog Licenses		4,908.25	
State Fish & Game Licenses		8,362.65	
Lunch Food Tax		772.51	
Recreation, Dedicated Accounts		23,294.69	
School Lunch Program		512,827.59	

DISBURSEMENTS FROM GENERAL ACCOUNTS

High School Athletic Association	5,487.63	
C.E.T.A.	5,099.68	
Special Police Account	605.85	
Carter Lecture Fund	589.02	
Cemetery Trust Funds	8,320.00	
Library Memorial Account	14.25	570,282.12
Federal Grants and Aid - School:		
Public Law 874	31,403.83	
Public Law 864	16,120.24	
Head Start	14,662.00	
Special Workshop	12,591.00	
Industrial Arts	29.79	
Library Extensions	92.18	
Arts & Humanities	1,000.00	
Title IVB	71,955.62	
Reading Skills	82,427.85	
Learning Resources	1,085.00	
Public Law 94-482	5,038.43	
Education of Handicapped	10,600.00	
Improving Ancilliary Skills	2,295.04	249,300.98
Library Projects		466.45
Short Term Investments		11,370,877.60
Total Expenditures from General Accounts		$19,621,116.16

TOWN OF WILMINGTON
DETAIL OF REVENUE SHARING
JULY 1, 1978 to JUNE 30, 1979

	Federal Grants	Interest Received On Investments	Expended	Balance On Hand
Balance on hand July 1, 1978				$57,476.58
Received 7/1/78 through 6/30/79	$539,925.00	$9,873.15	$580,776.00	
Balance on hand June 30, 1979				$26,498.73

Expenditures:

Police Salaries	$290,388.00
Fire Salaries	290,388.00
	$580,776.00

"I certify that this is a true extract of the Revenue Sharing Funds of the Town of Wilmington, Mass."

Robert H. Peters
Town Accountant

TOWN OF WILMINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS
BALANCE SHEET - JUNE 30, 1979

ASSETS

Cash		1,604,111.49	
Short Term Investments		1,100,000.00	
Petty Cash Advances		625.00	2,704,736.49
Taxes Uncollected:			
Prior Levies			
Personal Property 1972	15.60		
1973	135.70		
1974	32.45		
1975	67.80		
1976	499.20		
1977	1,267.85		
1978	1,098.06	3,116.66	
Real Estate Taxes 1973	175.90		
1977	49.82		
1978	124,080.71	124,306.43	
Current Levies			
Personal Property 1979	104,029.43		
Real Estate Taxes 1979	277,995.59	382,025.02	
Tax Deferral & Recovery, 1978	1,628.00		
1979	1,607.65		
Personal Property in Litigation, Levy 1969	462.00	3,697.65	513,145.76
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:			
Prior Levies			
Levy 1971	11.55		
1972	1,322.05		
1973	4,035.77		
1974	9,452.99		
1975	12,438.54		
1976	19,544.42		
1977	34,895.93		
1978	56,046.04	137,747.29	
Current Levy, 1979		269,129.34	406,876.63
Farm Animal Excise Tax 1978			119.50
Tax Titles & Possessions:			
Tax Titles		112,635.46	
Tax Possessions		78,457.73	191,093.19
Assessments Added to Taxes:			
Street Assessments 1975	95.96		
1976	93.76		
1977	91.52		
1978	561.79		
1979	531.21	1,374.24	
Water Assessments 1978	423.56		
1979	1,010.17	1,433.73	
Unapportioned Water Betterments	12,090.86		
Sewer Betterments	30,374.97	42,465.83	
Sewer Betterments 1978	6,377.95		
1979	6,226.07	12,604.02	
Betterments in Litigation			
Street 1972	85.61		
1973	98.20	183.81	58,061.63
Accounts Receivables:			
Water Department:			
Rates		87,127.12	
Services		2,869.04	
Commercial & Industrial Fire Protection		144.00	
Industrial Way Pumping Station		2,683.82	
Water Liens, 1978	1,516.08		
1979	3,319.63	4,835.71	
Sewer Rates	3,368.11		
Sewer Use	2,500.00	5,868.11	
State Aid to Highways	99,904.28		
County Aid to Highways	3,071.41	102,975.69	
Ambulance Account	16,435.82		
Veterans Benefits	8,987.08	25,422.90	231,926.39
Temporary Loans/Anticipation of State & County Aid to Highways - Paid in advance of Reimbursement			4,427.92
Unprovided for Accounts:			
Overlay Deficits:			
Levy 1975	350.00		
1977	737.51		
1978	23,118.67		
1979	363,160.48	387,366.66	
Legal Settlements		15,250.00	
Underestimates - Assessments			
Ipswich River Watershed Assessment, 1979		1,109.12	
Due from School Lunch Program	29,074.44		
Outside Detail Account	163.50		
Court Ordered Deductions	50.00	29,287.94	433,013.72
Loans Authorized			8,077,550.00
Revenue, 1980			14,573,103.57
TOTAL ASSETS			$27,194,054.80

TOWN OF WILMINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS
BALANCE SHEET - JUNE 30, 1979

LIABILITIES & RESERVES

1974 Real Estate Tax, Overpaid	.08	
1975 Real Estate Tax, Overpaid	133.25	
1976 Real Estate Tax, Overpaid	122.03	255.36
Tax Title Recording Fee		5.00
1976 Water Betterment, Overpaid		1.00
1976 Water Liens, Overpaid	.20	
1977 Water Liens, Overpaid	126.31	126.51
Water Guaranteed Deposits		210.00
Employee Payroll Deductions:		
Retirement System	74,022.93	
Group Insurance	500.54	
Washington National Insurance	1,393.35	
Blue Cross/Blue Shield	18,660.65	
Tax Sheltered Annuities	14,619.20	
Union Dues	12.64	109,209.31
Agency Accounts:		
County Dog Licenses	832.80	
State Food Tax	51.65	884.45
Revolving Accounts:		
Recreation Dedicated Account	3,449.28	
High School Athletic Account	17,570.97	21,020.25
Federal Grants & Aids:		
Public Law #874	27,555.93	
#85/864	94,478.80	
Occupational Education	867.00	
Special Education VI (202-203-204)	5,526.07	
Head Start 1980	14,662.00	
Occupational Education/Molding Projects	2,320.25	
/Exploring Ind. Arts	3,686.32	
Law Collection Development Project	4.87	
Interlibrary Loan Improvement Project	30.59	
Learning Resources IV-B	10,936.18	
CETA Funds	209.50	160,277.51
Arts & Humanities (Library)	100.00	
State Aid to Libraries	6,828.00	
Library Memorial Fund	75.69	7,003.69
Tailings Account		7,704.86
Accrued Interest, Sale of Bonds		10,102.08
Group Insurance/Blue Cross, Dividend		11,526.00
Corum Meadows Trust		8,004.88
Sale of Town-owned Land		100.00
Temporary Loans/Antic. of Bond Issue		352,000.00
Cemetery Trust Funds		500.00
Sale of Cemetery Lots		8,881.80
Fire Insurance Reimbursement/Available for Appropriations - Glen Road School		33,796.00
Overestimates, State & County Assessments:		
County Tax, 1979	36,403.79	
County Hospital Assessment, 1979	3,490.16	
State Recreation Assessment, 1979	3,626.54	
M.D.C. Sewer Assessment, 1979	5,727.90	
Metropolitan Air Pollution Assessment, 1979	90.25	
M.B.T.A. Assessment, 1979	2,658.65	51,997.29
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Farm Animal Excise	119.50	
Motor Vehicle Excise	406,876,63	
Special Assessments	57,876.82	
Tax Titles & Possessions	191,093.19	
Departmental Revenue	25,422.90	
Water Revenue	97,533.18	
Sewer Revenue	5,868.11	
State & County Aid to Highways Revenue	102,975.69	
Reserve for Petty Cash Advances	625.00	
Special Tax Revenue	645.81	889,036.83
Appropriation Balances Reserved for Encumberances, 1979		394,971.19
Appropriation Balances Reserved for Capital Projects, 1979		289,272.84
Construction Accounts Carried Forward to 1980		793,153.81
Loans Authorized and Unissued		7,725,550.00
Appropriation Control, 1980		15,247,513.00
Water Available Surplus		289,598.16
Surplus Revenue		781,352.98
TOTAL LIABILITIES & RESERVES		$27,194,054.80

TOWN OF WILMINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS
SUMMARY OF ACTUAL EXPENDITURES BY BUDGET CLASS
PERIOD 7/1/78 THROUGH 6/30/79

Title of Appropriaton	Annual Town Meeting Appropriation		Prior Bal. Transfers & Refunds	Expended 7/1/78 to 6/30/79	Encumberances to Fiscal 1980	Balances as of 6/30/79	Bal. Avail. for Fiscal 1980	Bal. to Revenue 1979
General Government								
Selectmen								
Salaries	2,500.00			1,992.50		507.50		507.50
Expenses	6,250.00	T-	26.23	6,173.71		50.06		50.06
Elections								
Salaries	10,500.00	R+	63.00	9,164.55		1,398.45		1,398.45
Expenses	9,200.00	T-	158.47					
		R+	130.80	9,172.17		.16		.16
Board of Registrars								
Salaries	1,500.00			1,500.00				
Expenses	7,200.00	A+	55.00					
		T+	640.83					
		T-	756.45	7,139.19		.19		.19
Finance Committee								
Salaries	700.00			656.50		43.50		43.50
Expenses	4,240.00	T-	43.00	3,678.89		518.11		518.11
Town Manager								
Salaries	32,810.00			32,013.09		796.91		796.91
Other Salaries	31,426.00			26,613.06		4,812.94		4,812.94
Expenses	1,150.00	R+	5.00	1,005.69		149.31		149.31
Town Accountant								
Salaries	20,465.00	T+	979.82	21,444.82				
Other Salaries	12,317.00	T+	887.12	13,204.12				
Expenses	750.00	A+	130.00					
		T-	51.59	828.36		.05		.05
Town Treasurer								
Salaries	14,766.00	T+	853.80	15,619.80				
Other Salaries	11,978.00	T+	862.60	12,840.60				
Expenses	1,550.00	A+	152.30		514.50	50.80		50.80
		T-	55.21	1,081.79				
Tax Title Foreclosures	5,000.00	R+	104.98	4,963.10		141.88		141.88
Town Collector								
Salaries	15,602.00	T+	911.45	16,513.45				
Other Salaries	11,978.00	T+	862.60	12,840.60				
Expenses	4,760.00	A+	189.10					
		T-	125.31	4,188.78	12.75	622.26		622.26
Town Clerk								
Salaries	12,687.00	T+	811.03	13,498.03				
Other Salaries	10,961.00	T+	810.48	11,771.48				
Expenses	650.00	A+	55.43					
		T-	25.99	454.74	24.23	200.47		200.47

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General Government (continued)								
Board of Assessors								
Salary Principal Assessor	24,737.00	T+	863.36	25,600.36				
Other Salaries	20,447.00	T+	417.34	20,864.34				
Expenses	3,200.00	R+	41.68					
		T-	63.62	3,175.44		2.62		2.62
Town Counsel								
Personal Services	10,000.00			10,000.00				
Expenses	9,000.00			9,000.00				
Town Hall								
Salaries	19,612.00	T+	630.69	20,242.69				
Expenses	21,675.00	A+	2,465.40					
		R+	18.13					
		T+	2,566.85	25,030.45	508.06	1,186.87		1,186.87
Planning Board								
Salaries	3,500.00	T+	1,000.00	4,264.00		236.00		236.00
Expenses	12,150.00	A+	7,042.65					
		T-	231.23					
		R+	48.30	8,658.40	145.14	10,206.18		10,206.18
Outlay	200.00			83.52		116.48		116.48
	355,461.00		22,062.64	355,278.22	1,204.68	21,040.74		21,040.74
Protection Persons & Property								
Police Department								
Salaries, Chief	32,134.00	T+	1,452.40	33,586.40				
Lieutenant	20,881.00	T-	7,407.50	9,196.20		4,277.30		4,277.30
Sergeants	104,164.00	T+	6,500.00	110,664.00				
Patrolmen	92,187.00	T+	13,387.39	105,333.03		241.36		241.36
Traffic Supervisors	38,197.00			37,485.30		711.70		711.70
Clerks	30,833.00	T+	2,516.05	33,349.05				
Extra Detail	30,000.00	T+	19,407.50	49,407.50				
Sick Leave	30,000.00			30,000.00				
Vacations	45,000.00	T-	1,452.40	43,517.60		30.00		30.00
Paid Holidays	22,829.00			22,829.00				
Police Dog Officer	800.00			800.00				
Specialists	4,050.00			4,050.00				
Night Shift Differential	8,500.00			392.72		8,107.28		8,107.28
Expenses	22,276.00	A+	285.00					
		R+	668.10					
		T-	68.46	22,739.99		420.65		420.65
Outlay	400.00	A+	285.00	385.00		300.00		300.00
Fire Department								
Salaries, Chief	32,134.00	T+	1,872.13	34,006.13				
Deputy Chief	21,946.00	T+	910.92	22,856.92				
Lieutenant	70,415.00	T+	3,647.29	73,724.97		337.32		337.32
Privates	117,490.00	T+	23,878.98	141,368.98				
Sick Leave	14,000.00			13,999.95		.05		.05
Call Fire & Ambulance	18,400.00			18,400.00				
Vacations	29,800.00			29,800.00				
Paid Holidays	22,394.00			22,394.00				

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Fire Department (continued)								
Expenses	16,120.00	A+	414.13					
		T+	2,500.00					
		T-	67.58	18,961.41		5.14		5.14
Outlay	6,703.00	R+	1,137.54	7,448.08		392.46		392.46
Civil Defense								
Salaries	1,500.00			1,500.00				
Expenses	1,015.00	A+	4,232.04					
		R+	1,028.06					
		T-	3.79	2,978.34		3,292.97	3,292.97	
Outlay		A+	325.00			325.00	325.00	
Constable								
Salary	100.00					100.00	100.00	
Dog Officer								
Salary	4,250.00			4,250.00				
Expenses	2,400.00	T+	1,200.00					
		R+	3.08					
		T-	58.05	3,375.13		169.90		169.90
Building Inspector								
Salary	18,060.00	T+	838.56	18,898.56				
Other Salaries	12,041.00	T+	955.96					
		R+	49.00	10,612.37		2,433.59		2,433.59
Expenses	1,725.00	A+	168.00					
		T+	2,200.00					
		T-	79.54	3,881.99		131.47		131.47
Board of Appeals								
Salary	2,000.00			2,000.00				
Expenses	260.00	T-	204.48	55.52				
Sealer of Weights & Measures								
Salary	1,500.00			1,500.00				
Expenses	50.00					50.00		50.00
	876,554.00		80,520.33	935,748.14		21,326.19	3,717.97	17,608.22
Public Works								
Town Engineer								
Salary	24,625.00	T+	989.84	25,614.84				
Other Salaries	54,217.00	T+	3,600.00	56,496.97		1,320.03		1,320.03
Expenses	2,100.00	A+	384.03					
		T-	55.27	2,377.84		50.92		50.92
Highway Department								
Supt. Salary	23,512.00	T+	936.16	24,448.16				
Other Salaries	241,057.00			240,562.22		494.78		494.78
Expenses	149,350.00	A+	1,003.33					
		R+	2,756.25					
		T-	42.97	148,008.54		5,058.07		5,058.07
Outlay	3,100.00			3,098.37		1.63		1.63
Sidewalks		A+	58,286.69	50,575.43	7,711.26			
Drainage	25,000.00			24,970.51		29.49		29.49
Road Machinery	50,000.00	T+	4,911.16					
		R+	741.15	55,651.94		.37		.37

Title of Appropriation		Meeting Appropriation		Transfers & Refunds	7/1/78 to 6/30/79	to Fiscal 1980	as of 6/30/79	for Fiscal 1980	Revenue 1979
Public Works (continued)									
Chapter 90 Constr.	1969		A+	11,418.34			11,418.34	11,418.34	
	1971		A+	637.23			637.23	637.23	
	1976		A+	37,232.00			37,232.00	37,232.00	
	1977		A+	37,232.00			37,232.00	37,232.00	
	1978		A+	40,000.00			40,000.00	40,000.00	
	1979	43,232.00					43,232.00	43,232.00	
Chapter 90 Maint		9,000.00	A+	16,545.57	20,254.49		5,291.08	5,291.08	
Chapter 81 Maint.		50,000.00	A+	28,333.15	59,625.48		18,707.67	18,707.67	
Snow & Ice Removal									
Salaries		81,099.00			71,598.21		9,500.79		9,500.79
Expenses		95,000.00			86,894.49		8,105.51		8,105.51
Outlay		7,000.00	A+	4,773.00	4,773.00	5,176.00	1,824.00		1,824.00
Tree Warden									
Salaries		27,343.00			26,755.96		587.04		587.04
Expenses		4,600.00			4,599.81		.19		.19
Dutch Elm Control									
Salaries		20,028.00			20,028.00				
Expenses		2,500.00			2,499.73		.27		.27
Gypsy Moth Control									
Salaries		14,586.00			14,586.00				
Expenses		2,500.00			2,500.00				
Public Street Lights		54,000.00	A+	82,249.11	78,262.65	40,000.00	17,986.46		17,986.46
Park Department									
Salaries		5,000.00			3,651.61		1,348.39		1,348.39
Expenses		1,000.00	A+	170.00					
			R+	213.60	1,381.20		2.40		2.40
Cemetery Department									
Supt. Salary		16,647.00	T+	936.12	17,583.12				
Other salaries		59,432.00	T+	1,000.00	60,432.00				
Expenses		15,600.00	R+	70.00					
			T-	24.83	14,665.77		979.40		979.40
Outlay		70.00			70.00				
		1,081,598.00		334,295.66	1,121,966.34	52,887.26	241,040.06	193,750.32	47,289.74
Board of Health									
Director's Salary		21,439.00	T+	887.48	22,326.48				
Other salaries		46,115.00	R+	49.00					
			T+	3,477.82	47,460.36		2,181.46		2,181.46
Expenses		2,050.00	T-	73.52	1,580.11		396.37		396.37
Hospital & Medical		850.00					850.00		850.00
Drug Dep. (Share)		13,500.00			12,105.50		1,394.50		1,394.50
Mental Health		17,000.00			17,000.00				
Solid Waste Disp.		186,715.00			184,881.06		1,833.94		1,833.94
		287,669.00		4,340.78	285,353.51		6,656.27		6,656.27
Veterans' Services									
Agent's Salary		2,860.00			2,860.00				
Other salaries		9,239.00	T+	808.77	10,047.77				
Expenses		325.00	T-	33.10	169.10		122.80		122.80
Veterans' Aid		30,000.00	R+	1,891.91	15,959.58		15,932.33		15,932.33
		42,424.00		2,667.58	29,036.45		16,055.13		16,055.13

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School Department	7,569,782.00	A+	264,776.99					
		R+	9,620.58					
		T+	700.00					
		T-	7,937.28	7,575,962.87	260,975.22	4.20		4.20
Vocational Training	5,400.00			5,400.00				
Regional Voc.Sch.Distr.	620,118.00			588,531.00		31,587.00		31,587.00
	8,195,300.00		267,160.29	8,169,893.87	260,975.22	31,591.20		31,591.20
School Maintenance								
Superintendent Salary	20,850.00	T+	861.80	21,711.80				
Other salaries	653,143.00	T+	7,200.00	659,418.95		924.05		924.05
Expenses	121,500.00	R+	1,236.79	122,734.78		2.01		2.01
Vandalism	18,000.00	R+	355.75	18,355.75				
Fuel & Heating	190,000.00			190,000.00				
Outlay	51,900.00			51,898.41		1.59		1.59
Roof Repairs, Woburn St.		A+	4,303.00		4,303.00			
Roof Repairs,W.Intermediate	45,000.00	A+	12,394.37	54,980.89	2,413.48			
School Grounds Maint.	9,800.00			9,798.80		1.20		1.20
Town Buildings Maint.	86,500.00	R+	222.45	86,721.65		.80		.80
Outlay	2,900.00			1,860.36	1,000.00	39.64		39.64
	1,199,593.00		26,574.16	1,217,481.39	7,716.48	969.29		969.29
Library								
Director's Salary	20,259.00	T+	838.64	21,097.64				
Other salaries	107,494.00	T+	5,405.50	112,899.50				
Expenses	69,320.00	A+	697.15					
		T-	36.34					
		R+	558.08	69,800.74	737.55	.60		.60
Outlay	875.00			874.70		.30		.30
	197,948.00		7,463.03	204,672.58	737.55	.90		.90
Recreation Department								
Director's Salary	19,498.00	T+	837.84	20,335.84				
Other salaries	74,845.00	R+	56.00	74,900.91		.09		.09
Expenses	32,280.00	R+	325.41					
		T-	152.75	32,452.66				
	126,623.00		1,066.50	127,689.41		.09		.09
Beautification Committee	2,000.00	A+	2,453.98	4,453.98				
	2,000.00		2,453.98	4,453.98				
Historical Commission								
Salaries	500.00			499.81		.19		.19
Expenses	700.00	T-	25.07	364.03		310.90		310.90
Harnden Tavern	200.00	A+	5,073.41	1,523.63	3,749.78			
Outlay	275.00			120.20	130.00	24.80		24.80
	1,675.00		5,048.34	2,507.67	3,879.78	335.89		335.89
Conservation Commission								
Salaries	1,800.00	T+	1,500.00	3,282.52		17.48		17.48
Expenses	[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]		[illegible]
	[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]		[illegible]

Title of Appropriation	Meeting Appropriation		Transfers & Refunds	7/1/78-12 6/30/79	Fiscal 1980	7/1/79-12 6/30/79	1980	1979
Council on Aging								
Salaries	15,135.00	R+	207.01	15,123.74		218.27		218.27
Expenses	26,107.00	R+	1,280.50					
		T-	2,824.26	22,890.91		1,672.33		1,672.33
Outlay	450.00			419.00		31.00		31.00
	41,692.00		-1,336.75	38,433.65		1,921.60		1,921.60
Reserve Fund	50,000.00	T-	24,592.00			25,408.00		25,408.00
Bonds & Insurance	227,719.00	R+	180.00					
		T-	10,579.14	214,611.99	2,707.87			
Sewer Maintenance	4,000.00	A+	6,676.75	206.15		10,470.60	10,470.60	
Town Report	3,000.00			2,161.30		838.70		838.70
Local Transportation	6,935.00			4,226.44		2,708.56		2,708.56
Training & Conference								
In State	5,869.00	R+	409.00	5,905.69		372.31		372.31
Out of State	3,000.00			2,138.57		861.43		861.43
Lease of Quarters	1,500.00			1,500.00				
Blue Cross & Insurance	440,000.00	A+	26,970.20	429,391.61		37,578.59		37,578.59
Memorial Day & Veterans Day	3,000.00			2,866.58	81.50	51.92		51.92
Appraisals	7,500.00	A+	17,886.85	15,455.00	9,931.85			
Outlay - Police Vehicles	20,000.00	T+	3,616.00	23,616.00				
Fire/ 500 gal. Truck	35,000.00			15,115.00	19,749.00	136.00		136.00
Fire/ 3/4 ton Pickup Truck	7,700.00			7,386.00		314.00		314.00
Highway/ Dump Truck with Coverall Assembly	20,000.00	T+	576.00	20,576.00				
Highway/ Pickup Truck	6,000.00			5,619.00		381.00		381.00
Employees' Retirement (Unused Sick Leave)	5,000.00			5,000.00				
1979 Salary Adjustments and Additional Costs	150,000.00	A+	35,000.00					
		T-	92,259.54	21,513.91	35,000.00	36,226.55		36,226.55
Library Material Security Sys.	28,000.00			27,970.82		29.18		29.18
Career Incentive Pay								
Police	17,200.00			17,200.00				
Fire	13,700.00			13,700.00				
Acquisition of Land/ Sanitary Purposes		A+	5,550.00			5,550.00	5,550.00	
Veterans' Retirement	38,000.00			35,588.13		2,411.87		2,411.87
Unemployment Payments	10,000.00	A+	5,000.00	7,062.93		7,937.07		7,937.07
Drainage Easement/North St.		A+	50.00			50.00	50.00	
Alteration & Relocation/ Forest St.		A+	5,108.87	159.00		4,949.87	4,949.87	
Vehicle Passage over B&M		A+	250.00			250.00		250.00
Microfilming & Reader		A+	1,861.40	1,861.40				
Provide 6 Lane Running Track/ High School	80,000.00			80,000.00				
Acquire Land for Athletic Field	50.00			50.00				
Relocate Shawsheen Ave. Bridge		A+	3,000.00			3,000.00	3,000.00	
Cook Hill/Water Betterment		A+	15,000.00	11,390.00		3,610.00	3,610.00	
Relocate Grove Ave.		A+	9,054.01			9,054.01	9,054.01	
Acquire land for Drainage/ Woburn St.	150.00			150.00				

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Alter & Relocate as Town Ways/Forest, Lowell, West & Woburn Sts.	1,050.00					1,050.00	1,050.00	
Plans or Construction of Recreational or Athletic Facility		A+	6,365.00	6,303.00		62.00		62.00
Glen Rd. Sidewalks		A+	45,460.77	39,622.70		5,838.07	5,838.07	
Accept as Town Ways/ Arlene, Ella & Franklin Ave.	150.00			150.00				
	1,184,523.00		60,584.17	1,018,497.22	67,470.22	159,139.73	43,572.55	115,567.18
Maturing Debts & Interest								
Schools	386,915.00			386,914.50		.50		.50
General Government	100,497.00			100,496.22		.78		.78
Water	121,740.00			121,740.00				
Sewer	237,450.00			237,450.00				
Authentication Fees & Misc. Debt	50,000.00			16,107.39		33,892.61		33,892.61
	896,602.00			862,708.11		33,893.89		33,893.89
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	14,493,047.00		814,306.53	14,378,493.88	394,871.19	533,988.46	241,040.84	292,947.62

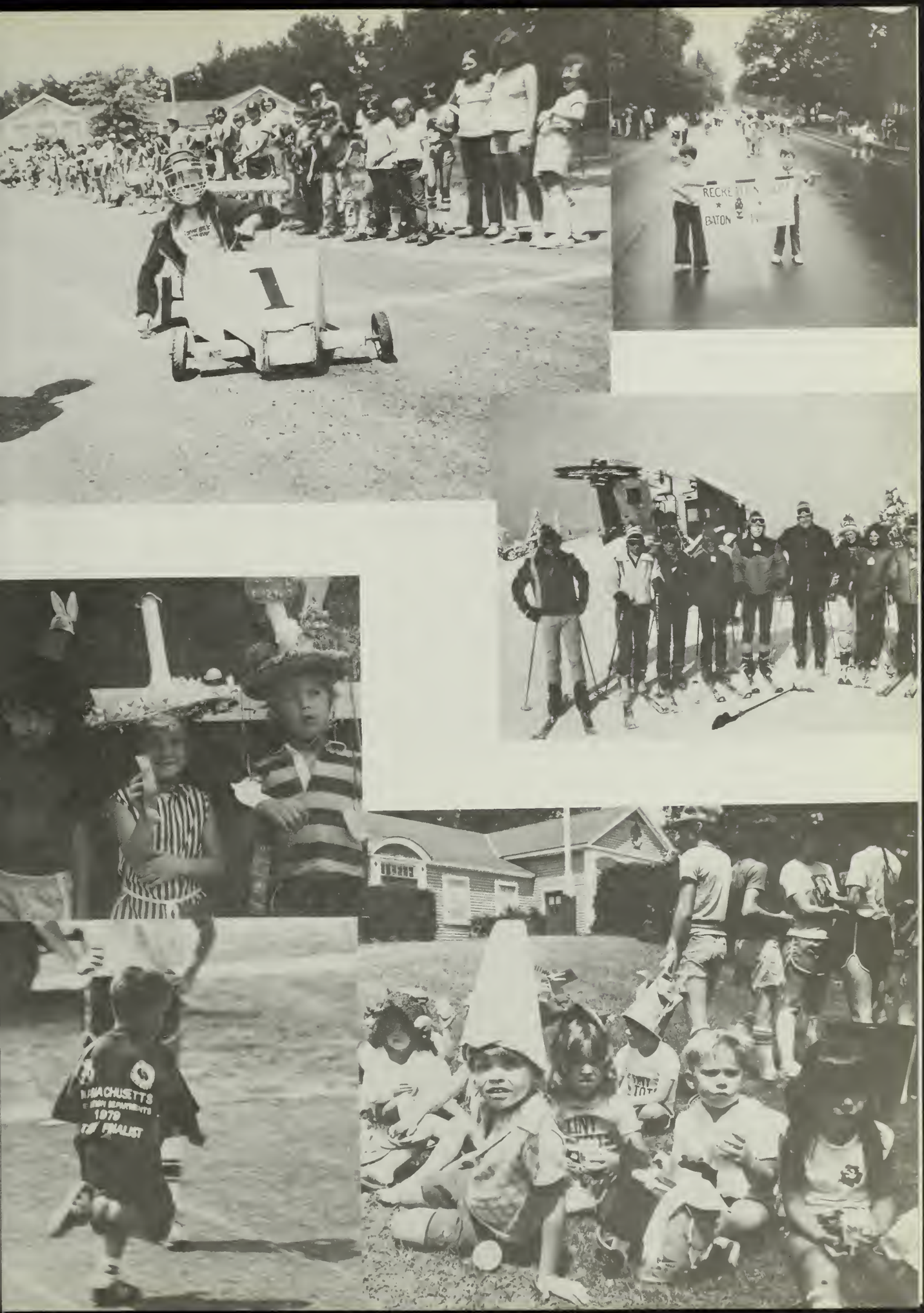
A = Prior years' balances
R = Refunds
T = Transfers

ANALYSIS OF THE MATURING DEBT

	Balances 7/1/78	Added 1979	Paid-Off 1978/79	Balances 6/30/79
INSIDE THE DEBT LIMIT				
Wilmington Memorial Library G/L 44, Sec. 10 $485,000	235,000		25,000	210,000
Land Acq. Town Forest (1975) G/L 44, Sec. 10 $169,000	125,000		20,000	105,000
Sewer Main Bonds (1971) G/L 44, Sec. 10 $275,000	170,000		15,000	155,000
Sewer Main Bonds (1973) G/L 44, Sec. 10 $264,000	185,000		15,000	170,000
Urban Renewal Bonds (1971) G/L 212B, Sec. 20 $200,000	80,000		20,000	60,000
Street Construction Bonds (1974/75) G/L 44, Sec. 10 $68,210	27,284		13,642	13,642
Sewerage System & Treatment Facility G/L 44, Sec. 7 $1,865,000	1,865,000		100,000	1,765,000
	2,687,284		208,642	2,478,642
OUTSIDE THE DEBT LIMIT				
Boutwell Street School Acts 645/48, $400,000	40,000		20,000	20,000
North Intermediate School Acts 645/48, $1,050,000	165,000		55,000	110,000
Woburn Street School Acts 645/48, $597,000	172,000		30,000	142,000
Woburn Street School Addition Acts 645/48, $660,000	275,000		35,000	240,000
West Intermediate School Acts 645/48, $1,445,000	485,000		70,000	415,000
Shawsheen Avenue School Acts 645/48, $1,674,720	660,000		110,000	550,000
Shawsheen Ave. School (2nd Issue) Acts 645/48, $100,000	35,000		5,000	30,000
Water Main Bonds, New Well Field Chp. 44, Sec. 8, $463,529	90,000		30,000	60,000
Salem Street Well Field & Mains Chp. 44, Sec. 8, $320,000	140,000		20,000	120,000
Water Main Bonds (1974/75) Chp. 44, Sec. 8, $11,940	4,776		2,388	2,388
Improv. System N.E. Sector Town Chp. 44, Sec. 8, $550,000	395,000		35,000	360,000
	2,461,776		412,388	2,049,388
COMBINED TOTALS	5,149,060		621,030	4,528,030

TRUST FUND ACCOUNTS 6/30/79

	Balances 6/30/78	Withdrawn 1978/79	Interest Added	Trusts Added	Balances 6/30/78	Princip Held T Trust
Cemetery Trust Funds						
Andover Savings Bank	3,369.26		253.00		3,622.26	2,175.
Reading Cooperative Bank	50,585.32		3,569.66	8,320.00	62,474.98	52,595.
Reading Savings Bank	22,784.71		1,671.75		24,456.46	20,400.
S.D.J. Carter Lecture Fund						
Reading Savings Bank	5,091.96		373.98		5,465.94	4,578.
Woburn Five Cent Savings Bank	3,345.01	589.02	198.55		2,954.54	2,000.
Burnap Library Fund						
Andover Savings Bank	413.76		34.33		448.09	200.
Benjamin Buck Library Fund						
Andover Savings Bank	740.16		48.57		788.73	500.
Charlotte C. Smith Library Fund						
Reading Savings Bank	564.65		41.28		605.93	500.
Sears Cook Walker-Walker School Fund						
Reading Savings Bank	361.44		19.75		381.19	257.
Chester M. Clark Library Fund						
Reading Savings Bank	565.26		41.31		606.57	500.
Sabra Carter Common Fund						
Andover Savings Bank	385.33		31.97		417.30	200
East Wilmington Improvement Association Library Fund						
Reading Savings Bank	4,780.98		341.16		5,122.14	3,820.
	92,987.84	589.02	6,625.31	8,320.00	107,344.13	87,725.
Conservation Commission						
Reading Savings Bank	2,291.87		125.26		2,417.13	1,497.
	95,279.71	589.02	6,750.57	8,320.00	109,761.26	89,222.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FIRE ALARM SIGNALS

32 Boutwell School
33 Buzzell School
35 Center School
37 Glen Rd. School
38 High School
41 Mildred Rogers School
42 North Intermediate School
43 West School
44 Swain School
46 Walker School
47 West Intermediate School
48 West School
49 Shawsheen School
51 Whitefield School
53 Wildwood School
54 Woburn Street School
121 Main & Church Sts.
122 Main & Middlesex Ave.
1222 Carr Fastener
1223 Wilmington Builders
123 Main & Clark Sts.
124 Washington Ave.
125 Wilmington Plaza
126 Main St. & Bridge Lane
127 Brand Ave. & Wiser St.
128 Baker St. & Taplin Ave.
129 Phillips Ave. & Wiser St.
131 Hobson Ave. & Miles St.
132 Main St. & Massachusetts Ave.
133 Massachusetts Ave. & River St.
134 Main & Harnden Sts.
135 St. Dorothy's Church
136 Veranda Ave.
137 Main St. & Grove Ave.
138 Grove & Wild Aves.
139 Grove Ave. & Burnap St.
141 Grove Ave. & Lake St.
142 Main St. & Glen Rd.
143 Main & Lake Sts.
144 Lake St. & Warren Rd.
146 Main & Davis Sts.
147 Fairfield Ave.
148 Marjorie Rd.
149 Main St. at Tewksbury Line
211 Burlington & Floradale Aves.
2111 Diamond Crystal Salt Company
2112 Sweetheart Plastic Corp.
212 Burlington Ave. & Harris St.
213 Cedar St. & Burt Rd.
214 Deming Way (Old Age Housing)
215 Burlington Ave. & Chestnut St.
216 Chestnut St. & Butters Row
217 Chestnut St. & Mill Rd.
218 Chestnut St. & Hillside Way
219 Hillside Way at Burlington Line
221 Chestnut St. near Golf Club
222 Chestnut St. at Woburn Line
223 Marion & Day Sts.
224 Marion & Clifton Sts.
225 Marion St. to Chestnut St.
226 Roberts Road
227 Burlington Ave. & Boutwell St.
228 Boutwell St. & Taft Rd.
229 Taft & Swain Rds.
231 Roosevelt Rd.
232 Burlington Ave. & Dell Drive
233 Burlington Ave. & Swain Rd.
234 Beech St.
235 Burlington Ave. & Forest St.
236 Burlington Ave. at Burlington Line
237 Forest St. & Congress St.
238 Forest St. & Randolph Rd.
239 Forest St. & Cochrane Rd.
241 Elwood Rd.
242 Forest St. & Edwards Rd.
251 Shawsheen Ave. & Canal St.
252 Canal St. & Burt Rd.
253 Grand St.
254 Nassau Ave. & Dunton Rd.
255 Shawsheen Ave. & Carter Lane
256 Carter Lane Norfolk St.
257 Amherst Rd.
258 Auburn Ave.
259 Ferguson Rd.
261 Shawsheen Ave. & Aldrich Rd.
262 Aldrich Rd. & Hardin St.
263 Aldrich Rd. & Kendall St.
264 Aldrich Rd. & Boutwell St.
265 Aldrich Rd. & Forest St.
266 Winston Ave.
267 Aldrich Rd. at Billerica Line
268 Shawsheen Ave. near Cranberry Bog
269 Wilton Drive
271 Shawsheen Ave. & Bond St.
273 Shawsheen Ave. & Hopkins St.
274 Hopkins & Columbia Streets
275 Hopkins & Dorchester Streets
276 Hopkins St. at Billerica Line
277 Shawsheen Ave. & Nichols St.
278 Nichols St. & Fairmeadow Rd.
279 Fairmeadow & Jere Rds.
281 Nichols St. at Billerica Line
282 Shawsheen Ave. at Billerica Line
311 Main St. & Dublin Ave.
312 Main & Lowell Sts.
3121 Hayden Mica Co.
313 Main St. & Butters Row
314 Main St. at Town Park
3142 Brewsters
315 Main & Eames Sts.
316 Eames St.
3132 Polyvinyl Chemical
3161 J. W. Greer Co.
3162 National Polychemical Co., Inc.
3163 Dragon Cement Co.
3164 JBF Scientific, Jewell Drive
3165 Harwich Chemical, Jewell Drive
3166 Altron, Industrial & Progress Way
317 Cook Ave.
3171 Raffi & Swanson
318 Main St. at Woburn Line
321 Lowell & Parker Sts.
3211 Parker & Laurel Sts.
322 Parker & Blackstone Sts.
3223 Allen Park Drive
3222 Allen Park & Sheldon Sts.
323 Lowell & Cross Sts.
324 Lowell & Bay Sts.
3241 Avco Corp.
325 Lowell & Woburn Sts.
326 Woburn & Elm Sts.
3261 Stepan Chemical
327 Woburn St. & Brentwood Ave.
328 Woburn St. & Morse Ave.
329 Woburn & Eames Sts.
3291 Terrell Corp.
3292 Jeffrey Chemical
3293 NAPA
3294 Ritter Trucking
3295 Analog Devices
331 Woburn St. & Industrial Way
3313 Commodity Warehouse
3314 Market Forge
3315 Smithcraft
3316 Crusader Paper Co.
3318 Compugraphic
332 Strout Ave.
333 Lowell St. & Woodland Rd.
334 Lowell & West Sts.
335 West St. & Westdale Avenue
336 Ayotte St. & Crest Avenue
337 Nickerson Ave.
338 West. St. & Suncrest Ave.
339 Suncrest Ave. & Meadow Lane
341 West St. & Industrial Way
3411 Compugraphic, 90 Industrial Way
3412 Compugraphics
3413 Scully Signal
3415 Compugraphic
3417 ADS
342 Lowell St., Rte. 93 and Reading Line
411 Church St., Fire Station
412 Church & Columbia Sts.
413 Church & Beacon Sts.
414 Beacon St. & Belmont Ave.
415 State St. & Fairview Ave.
416 Church & Clark Sts.
417 Methodist Church
418 Church St. & Thurston Ave.
419 Church & Adams Sts.
421 Chandler & Kelley Rds.
422 Adams St. Ext.
423 Church St. & Middlesex Ave.
4231 New Library
4232 Baptist Church
424 Middlesex Ave. & Adelaide St.
425 Middlesex Ave. & Clark St.
426 Clark St. & Railroad Ave.
427 Middlesex Ave. & Adams St.
428 St. Thomas' Church
4281 Villanova Hall
429 Middlesex Ave. & School St.
431 School St. & Drury Lane
432 Drury Lane & Loumac Rd.
433 Powderhouse Circle
434 Middlesex Ave. & Wildwood St.
435 Wildwood St. near Cemetery
436 Wildwood St. near Vets Housing
437 Wildwood & Woburn Streets
438 Wing Rd.
511 Middlesex Ave. & Glen Rd.
512 Glendale Circle
513 Glen Rd. & Lawrence St.
514 Lawrence St. & Lawrence Ct.
515 Lawrence St. & Hamlin Lane
516 Glen Rd. at R.R. Crossing
517 Glen Rd. & Fay St.
518 Glen Rd. & King St.
519 King St. & Garden Ave.
521 King & Kilby Sts.
522 King & Broad Sts.
523 Glen Rd. & Cypress St.
524 Glen Rd. & Brattle St.
525 Glen Rd. & Harnden St.
526 Glen & Miller Rds.
527 Faulkner & Beeching Aves.
528 Faulkner & Allston Aves.
529 Jones Ave.
531 Town Hall
532 Congregational Church
533 Middlesex Ave. & Federal St.
534 Federal & Concord Streets
535 Federal & Grant Sts.
536 Federal & Wilson Sts.
537 Federal & Lincoln Sts.
538 Federal & Pershing Sts.
539 Federal & Library Sts.
541 Federal & Woburn Sts.
542 Woburn & West Sts.
543 West & Kilmarnock Sts.
545 Woburn St. at R.R. Crossing
546 Concord & Woburn Sts.
5461 Dymo Graphics Systems
547 Concord St. at Rte. 93
5471 Compugraphics, Concord St.
5472 Dynamics Research
5474 General Electric
5475 Volkswagen
5477 Dupont, Fordham Road
5478 Machinist for Electronics
5479 Barbo
548 Concord St. at North Reading Line
549 Woburn St. at 281
551 Middlesex & Mystic Aves.
5511 Dymo Graphics Systems
5512 Photon, Inc.
5513 D. F. Munroe Paper Co.
5514 Waltham Door & Window Co.
552 Middlesex Ave. & Shady Lane Drive
5521 Mytron Inc.
553 Shady Lane Drive & Oakdale Rd.
554 Shady Lane Drive & Birchwood Rd.
555 Shady Lane Drive & Sprucewood Rd.
556 Pinewood & Oakdale Roads
557 Birchwood & Judith Rds.
558 Shady Lane Drive & Lawrence St.
611 No. Wilmington Shopping Center
612 Middlesex Ave. & North St.
613 North St. & Pineridge Rd.
614 North St. & Marcia Rd.
615 Middlesex Ave. & High St.
616 Linda & Carolyn Rds.
617 High & Woburn Sts.
618 Woburn & Park Sts.
619 Park St. & Gowing Rd.
621 Gowing & Marcus Rds.
622 Park St. at No. Reading Line
623 Middlesex Ave. & Salem St.
624 Arlene & Catherine Aves.
625 Barbara & Dorothy Aves.
626 Salem St. at R.R. Crossing
627 Salem & Cunningham Streets
628 Salem St. & McDonald Rd.
629 McDonald Rd. to End
631 Royal St.
632 Salem St. at Tewksbury Line
633 Salem & Ballardvale Streets
634 Ballardvale St. at Rte. 125
635 Ballardvale St. at No. 211
6351 Charles River Breeding
6352 Georgia Pacific
636 Ballardvale St. at No. 326
637 Ballardvale St. at Andover Line
638 Salem St. at Rte. 93
639 Salem & Woburn Sts.
641 Woburn St. & Hathaway Rd.
642 Hawthorne Rd.
643 Hathaway & Pilling Rd.
644 Hathaway & Gunderson Roads
645 Salem St. & Thrush Rd.
646 Thrush Rd. & Marie Drive
647 Salem St. at North Reading Line
6451 Wilmington Regional Health Center
6471 Cronin's Pit
6472 Benevento's Pit
648 Woburn & Andover Streets
6481 Pumping Station (Water Dept.)
6482 Ainsworth Road
6483 Highway Dept.
649 Andover St. & Rte. 125
651 Andover St. at No. 319
652 Andover St. at Andover Line

SPECIAL SIGNALS

1 Test
2 All out (test 9 a.m. & 9 p.m.)
3 Special Call
4 Brush Fire
5 Police Call
666 Civil Defense
7 Boy Scouts
22 No School (6:30 a.m., 7:00 a.m.)
2 Followed by 3 rounds of box - second alarm
3 Followed by 3 rounds of box - general alarm

MUTUAL AID
(two rounds only)

8 Out of Town
81 To Andover
82 To Billerica
83 To Burlington
84 To Lowell
85 To No. Reading
86 To Reading
87 To Tewksbury
88 To Woburn

FIRE — AMBULANCE	POLICE	TOWN HALL	TOWN HALL ANNEX
EMERGENCY: 658-3200	**EMERGENCY: 658-3331**	658-3311	657-7511
658-3346	658-5071	935-5596	NO SCHOOL 658-9845
	658-5072		

Serious harm, I am afraid, has been wrought to our generation by fostering the idea that they would live secure in a permanent order of things. They have expected stability and have found none within themselves or in their universe. Before it is too late they must learn and teach others that only by brave acceptance of change and all-time crisis-ethics can they rise to the heights of superlative responsibility.

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